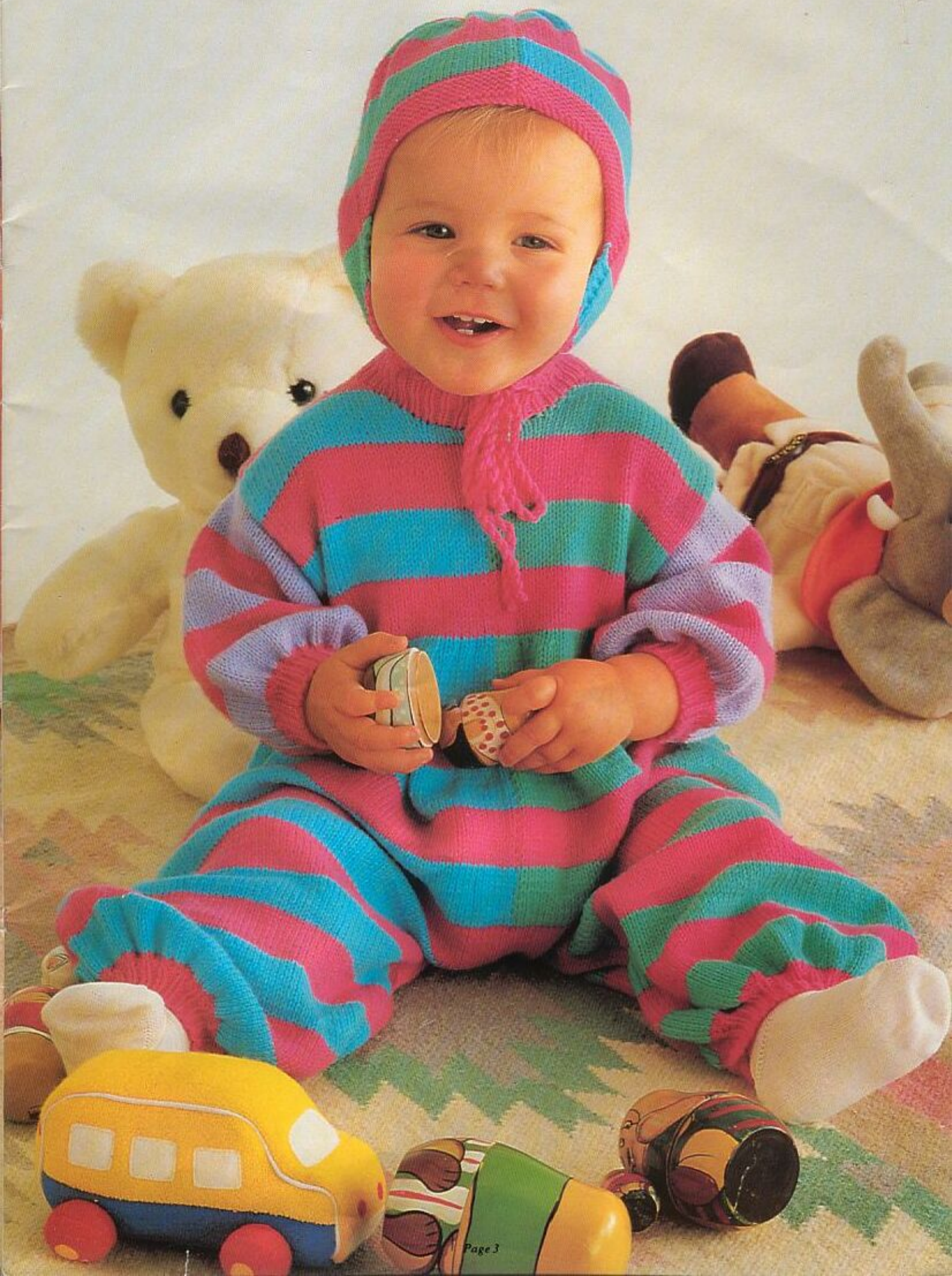


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THE KNITTING YARN EXPERTS

1 BABY'S CARDIGAN, BERET AND SHOES ★★P

As illustrated on Page 2

MEASUREMENTS

The cardigan is designed to be a generous fit.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Fits underarm	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Cardigan measures	cm	43.5	49	54.5	57.5
Length (approx)	cm	24	27	31	34
Sleeve fits	cm	13	16	19	21
Beret fits head	cm	40	45	48	49.5
Shoes fit foot	cm	8	9.5	11	12.5

MATERIALS

PATONS 3 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Cardigan

Main Colour (M) Shade 88	3	3	3	4
1st Contrast (C1) Shade 2464	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2) Shade 2294	1	1	1	1

Beret

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	2
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1

Shoes

Small Quantity Each Colour

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for these garments.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.



ACCESSORIES - 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10), 4.00mm (No 8) and 2.75mm (No 12) Milward Knitting Needles or sizes needed to give correct tension. Round Elastic for Beret and Shoes; 4 (5-5-6) Buttons for Cardigan; Stranded Cotton for embroidery.

ABBREVIATIONS - See page 28.

TENSION - 31 sts and 41 rows to 10 cm over stocking st using 3.25mm Needles; 31 sts to 10 cm in width over Fair Isle using 4.00mm Needles.

FIRST - CHECK YOUR TENSION. Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

CARDIGAN

(worked in one piece to armholes) Using 2.75mm Needles and M, cast on 139 (155-171-179) sts.

1st row - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 6 (6-7-7) times, inc once in centre of last row ... 140 (156-172-180) sts, 14 (14-16-16) rows rib in all.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and C1. Knit 2 rows garter st.

Change to 4.00mm Needles.

NOTE - Do not weave colours in Fair Isle patt, but carry colour not in use loosely across on wrong side. Always carry colours to ends of rows and always carry C2 above M.

1st row - K3M, * K2C2, K2M, rep from * to last st, K1M.

2nd row - P3M, * P2C2, P2M, rep from * to last st, P1M.

3rd row - K3C2, * K2M, K2C2, rep from * to last st, K1C2.

4th row - P3C2, * P2M, P2C2, rep from * to last st, P1C2.

5th row - As 1st row.

6th row - As 2nd row.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and C1. Knit 2 rows garter st.

Using M, work 8 rows stocking st.

Last 18 rows form patt, noting needle changes.

Work a further 10 (10-28-28) rows patt.

Using M for rem, work 0 (12-4-12) rows stocking st.

Divide for fronts and back - 1st row - K33 (37-40-41), cast off 4 (4-6-8) sts, K66 (74-80-82), cast off 4 (4-6-8) sts, knit to end.

Cont on last 33 (37-40-41) sts for Left Front.

Dec at beg of alt rows until 30 (34-37-38) sts rem.

Work 18 (24-28-32) rows stocking st.

Shape neck - Cast off 6 sts at beg of next row.

** Dec at neck edge in next and alt rows until 18 (22-24-25) sts rem.

Work 11 rows stocking st.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 9 (11-12-12) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off. **

Join yarn to next 66 (74-80-82) sts for Back.

Dec at each end of alt rows until 60 (68-74-76) sts rem.

Work 41 (47-53-57) rows stocking st.

Shape shoulders - Cast off 9 (11-12-12) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 9 (11-12-13) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast off rem 24 (24-26-26) sts.

Join yarn to rem 33 (37-40-41) sts for Right Front.

Dec at end of alt rows until 30 (34-37-38) sts rem.

Work 17 (23-27-30) rows stocking st.

Shape neck - Cast off 6 (6-6-7) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Rep from ** to **, working 12 rows instead of 11 before shoulder shaping.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles and M, cast on 39 (41-43-47) sts.

Work 9 (9-11-11) rows rib as for Cardigan.

Next row - Rib 4 (6-1-5), * inc in next st, rib 4 (6-5-5), rep from * to end ... 46 (46-50-54) sts.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Working in patt as for Cardigan and working extra sts into patt, inc at each end of 5th and foll 4th (4th-6th-8th) rows until there are 50 (50-60-68) sts, **Sizes A, B and C only** - then in foll 6th (6th-8th) rows until there are 54 (58-64) sts.

All Sizes - Using M for rem, cont without shaping until work measures 11 (14-16-18) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape top - Cast off 3 (3-4-5) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec at each end of next and alt rows until 26 sts rem, then in every row until 16 sts rem. Cast off.

COLLAR

Using 3.25mm Needles and M, cast on 93 (93-101-101) sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Using C1, knit 2 rows garter st.

Using M, 6th row - Knit.

7th row - K3, purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Rep 6th and 7th rows 3 times.

Using C1, knit 2 rows garter st.

Using M, rep 6th and 7th rows once.

Next row - K4, * K2 tog, K2, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 71 (71-77-77) sts.

Cast off 5 (5-6-6) sts at beg of next 8 rows ... 31 (31-29-29) sts.

Cast off rem sts.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

Using 2.75mm Needles and M, cast on 9 sts.

Work 4 rows rib as for Cardigan.

5th row - Rib 4, y fwd, K2 tog, rib 3 ... buttonhole.

Work a further 21 (19-23-21) rows rib.

Rep last 22 (20-24-22) rows 2 (3-3-4) times, then buttonhole row once ... 4 (5-5-6) buttonholes.

Work 3 rows rib. Cast off in rib.

LEFT FRONT BAND

Work as for Right Front Band, omitting buttonholes.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using Stranded Cotton, Lazy Daisy Stitch and Bullion Stitch (see page 11), embroider flowers on M stripes of Cardigan, sleeves and collar as illustrated. Using back-stitch, join shoulder and sleeve

seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew on front bands. Using a flat seam, sew collar in position, beg and ending at centre of front bands. Sew on buttons.

BERET

Using 2.75mm Needles and M, cast on 129 (141-145-153) sts.

Work 8 rows rib as for Cardigan.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Next row - K5 (1-9-5), * inc in next st, K2 (2-1-1), inc in next st, K1, rep from * to last 4 (0-8-4) sts, K4 (0-8-4) ... 177 (193-209-225) sts.

(NOTE - If this number of sts will not fit comfortably on needle, we suggest using a circular needle.)

Work 19 (21-23-25) rows stocking st.

Using C1, **Next row** - K2 (11-7-0), * K2 tog, K5 (5-6-7), rep from * to last 0 (7-2-0) sts, K0 (7-2-0) ... 152 (168-184-200) sts.

Knit 1 row garter st.

Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Beg Fair Isle - 1st row - K2M, * K2C2, K2M, rep from * to end.

2nd row - P2M, * P2C2, P2M, rep from * to end.

3rd row - K2C2, * K2M, K2C2, rep from * to end.

4th row - P2C2, * P2M, P2C2, rep from * to end.

5th row - As 1st row.

6th row - As 2nd row.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and C1.

Next row - K8 (8-9-9), * K2 tog, K2 (3-3-4), K2 tog, K3 (3-4-4), rep from * to last 9 (10-10-11) sts, K2 tog, K7 (8-8-9) ... 121 (137-153-169) sts.

Knit 1 row garter st.

Using M, work 8 rows stocking st.

Using C1, knit 2 rows garter st.

Using M for rem, **Shape top** - 1st row - K1, * K2 tog, K13 (15-17-19), rep from * to end.

2nd and alt rows - Purl.

3rd row - K1, * K2 tog, K12 (14-16-18), rep from * to end.

5th row - K1, * K2 tog, K11 (13-15-17), rep from * to end.

Cont dec in this manner (working one st less between dec each time) in alt rows until 41 sts rem. Break off yarn, run end through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using Stranded Cotton, Lazy Daisy Stitch and Bullion Stitch (see page 11), embroider flowers as illustrated. Using back-stitch, join seam. Thread round elastic through last row of rib and draw up to desired measurement.

SHOES

SOLE

Using 3.25mm Needles and M, cast on 25 (29-33-37) sts.

1st row - Inc in first st, knit to last 2 sts, inc in next st, K1.

2nd row - K1, purl to last st, K1.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows twice ... 31 (35-39-43) sts.

7th row - Knit.

8th row - As 2nd row.

Rep 7th and 8th rows twice.

13th row - K2 tog, knit to last 2 sts, sl 1, K1, psso.

14th row - As 2nd row.

Rep 13th and 14th rows once, then 13th row once ... 25 (29-33-37) sts.

Cast off loosely.

UPPER

Using 3.25mm Needles and C1, cast on 54 (62-70-78) sts.

1st row (wrong side) - Knit.

Change to 4.00mm Needles and work 6 rows Fair Isle as for Beret.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and C1. Knit 2 rows garter st.

Change to M for rem.

Shape instep - 1st row - K32 (37-41-45), sl 1 (knitways), K1, psso, turn.

2nd row - P10 (12-12-12), P2 tog, turn.

3rd row - K10 (12-12-12), sl 1 (knitways), K1, psso, turn.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 7 (8-9-10) times, then 2nd row once.

Next row - Knit to end ... 37 (43-49-55) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st. Cast off.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using Stranded Cotton, Lazy Daisy Stitch and Bullion Stitch (see page 11), embroider flowers on instep as illustrated. Using back-stitch, join heel seam on upper. Using a flat seam, sew upper to sole. Thread round elastic through ankle and draw up to desired measurement. 

2 BABY'S ROMPER SUIT AND HAT ★★

As illustrated on Page 3 and Front Cover

MEASUREMENTS

This romper suit is designed to be a generous fit.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Romper Suit fits underarm					
	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Length	cm	46	53	60	67
Sleeve fits	cm	13	16	19	21
Hat fits head	cm	40	45	48	49.5

MATERIALS

PATONS 4 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Romper Suit

Main Colour (M) Shade 2464	4	5	5	6
1st Contrast (C1) Shade 2294	2	2	2	3
2nd Contrast (C2) Shade 2292	2	2	2	3
3rd Contrast (C3) Shade 2293	1	1	1	2

Hat

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for this garment.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.

ACCESSORIES - 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10) and 2.75mm (No 12) Milward Knitting Needles or sizes needed to give correct tension. 9 Buttons.

ABBREVIATIONS - See page 28.

TENSION - 29 sts to 10 cm in width over stocking st.

FIRST - CHECK YOUR TENSION.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

ROMPER SUIT

RIGHT SIDE (beg at lower edge)

Using 2.75mm Needles and M, cast on 45 (49-51-57) sts.

1st row - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 3 times. **

9th row - Rib 2, y fwd, K2 tog (buttonhole), rib to end.

*** 10th row - Cast off 4 sts, rib to last 4 sts, cast off 4 sts. Fasten off.

Join M to rem 37 (41-43-49) sts.

11th row - K1, * "M1", K1, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 72 (80-84-96) sts.

12th row - P4 (4-0-12), * inc in next st, P1, rep from * to last 4 (4-0-12) sts, P4 (4-0-12) ... 104 (116-126-132) sts.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work in stocking st in stripes of 12 rows each C1 and M throughout until work measures 15 (19-23-27) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape crotch - Keeping stripes correct, cast on 6 (9-10-10) sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 116 (134-146-152) sts.

Cont in stripes until work measures 15.5 (17.5-19.5-22) cm from last cast-on sts, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K1 (2-2-1), K2 tog, * K2, K2 tog, rep from * to last 1 (2-2-1) st/s, K1 (2-2-1) ... 87 (101-110-114) sts.

Work a further 17 rows stripes.

Next row - K6 (2-2-3), * K2 tog, K1, rep from * to last 6 (0-0-3) sts, K6 (0-0-3) ... 62 (68-74-78) sts.

Next row - Purl. ***

Divide for armhole - Next row - K31 (34-37-39), turn.

Cont on these 31 (34-37-39) sts for **Right Front**.

Work a further 31 (35-39-39) rows stripes.

Shape neck - Cast off 6 sts at beg of next row.

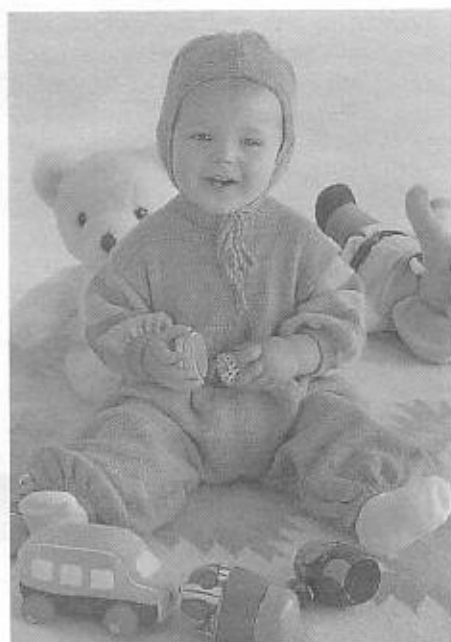
Dec at neck edge in alt rows until 20 (22-24-26) sts rem.

Work 6 (4-2-4) rows stripes.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 10 (11-12-13) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

Join yarn to rem 31 (34-37-39) sts for **Right Back**.



Work a further 31 (35-39-39) rows stripes.

Shape back opening - Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row.

Work a further 16 (16-16-18) rows stripes.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 10 (11-12-13) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

LEFT SIDE

Work as for Right Side to **.

9th row - Rib to last 3 sts, y fwd, K2 tog (buttonhole), rib 1.

Work as from *** to *** for Right Leg, using C2 in place of C1.

Divide for armhole - Next row - K31 (34-37-39), turn.

Cont on these 31 (34-37-39) sts for **Left Back**.

Work a further 31 (35-39-39) rows stripes.

Shape back opening - Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row.

Work a further 16 (16-16-18) rows stripes.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 10 (11-12-13) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

Join yarn to rem 31 (34-37-39) sts for **Left Front**.

Work a further 33 (37-41-41) rows stripes.

Shape neck - Cast off 6 sts at beg of next row.

Dec at neck edge in next and alt rows until 20 (22-24-26) sts rem.

Work 5 (3-1-1) row/s stripes.

Shape shoulder – Cast off 10 (11-12-13) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles and M, cast on 37 (39-43-45) sts.

Work 11 rows rib as before.

12th row – Rib 1, inc in each st to end ... 73 (77-85-89) sts.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work in stocking st in stripes of 12 rows each C3 and M throughout until work measures approx 13 (16-19-21) cm from beg, ending with a complete stripe. Cast off loosely.

NECKBAND

Using back-stitch, join shoulder and centre seams. With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and M, knit up 69 (71-73-77) sts evenly around neck.

Work 11 rows rib as before, beg with a 2nd row. Cast off loosely in rib.

RIGHT BACK OPENING BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and M, knit up 27 sts evenly along right side of back opening, incl end of neckband.

Work 3 rows rib as before, beg with a 2nd row.

4th row – K2, * y fwd, K2 tog (buttonhole), rib 10, rep from * once, K1 ... 2 buttonholes.

Work a further 3 rows rib.

Cast off loosely in rib.

LEFT BACK OPENING BAND

Work as for other band, omitting buttonholes.

FRONT LEG BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and M, knit up 37 (49-61-73) sts evenly along front edge of right leg (above cuff), then 37 (49-61-73) sts evenly along front edge of left leg to cuff cast-off ... 74 (98-122-146) sts. Knit 1 row garter st.

2nd row – K8 (12-16-20), * cast off 2 sts, K12 (16-20-24), rep from * to last 10 (14-18-22) sts, cast off 2 sts, knit to end.

3rd row – K8 (12-16-20), * turn, cast on 2 sts, turn, K12 (16-20-24), rep from * to last 8 (12-16-20) sts, turn, cast on 2 sts, turn, knit to end ... 5 buttonholes.

Knit 3 rows garter st. Cast off loosely.

BACK LEG BAND

Work as for Front Leg Band, omitting buttonholes.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew base of back opening bands in position. Sew side edges of leg bands to cast-off edges of cuffs at ankles. Sew on buttons.

HAT

RIGHT SIDE

Using 3.25mm Needles and M, cast on 13 (13-15-15) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Next row – K4, inc in next st, knit to last 5 sts, inc in next st, K4.

Next row – K4, inc in next st, purl to last 5 sts, inc in next st, K4.

Keeping garter st edge correct, cont in stocking st, inc (inside 4 sts as before) in every row until there are 23 (23-25-25) sts.

Work a further 15 rows in stripes of 3 rows M and 12 rows C2. ***

Using M, **Next row** – Cast on 26 (29-30-32) sts, knit to end, turn, cast on 13 (16-17-19) sts ... 62 (68-72-76) sts.

Next row – K17 (20-21-23), P15 (15-17-17), K30 (33-34-36).

Next row – Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 3 times, then first of these rows once.

**** Work 2 rows stocking st.

Work in stocking st for rem, in stripes of 12 rows each C2 and M throughout, until work measures 11 (12-13-13) cm from last cast-on sts, ending with a purl row.

Next row – * K2 tog, rep from * to end ... 31 (34-36-38) sts.

Purl 1 row.

Next row – K1 (0-0-0), * K2 tog, rep from * to end ... 16 (17-18-19) sts.

Break off yarn, run end through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

LEFT SIDE

Work as for Right Side to ***, using C1 in place of C2.

Using M, **Next row** – Cast on 13 (16-17-19) sts, knit to end, turn, cast on 26 (29-30-32) sts ... 62 (68-72-76) sts.

Next row – K30 (33-34-36), P15 (15-17-17), K17 (20-21-23).

Next row – Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 3 times, then first of these rows once.

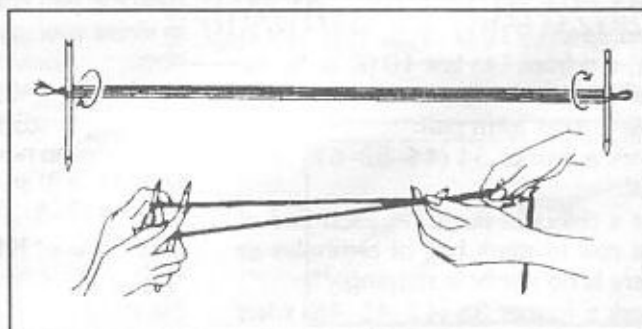
Complete as for Right Side from **** to end.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join centre seam. Using 3 strands of M, 100 cm long, make 2 twisted cords and attach to ear flaps. 

TO MAKE A TWISTED CORD

Method requires two people. Take as many strands of yarn as required, approximately three times the length required for the finished cord. Knot each end and slip a pencil between strands. Each person holds yarn just below pencil with one hand and twists pencil clockwise with other hand, keeping yarn taut. When yarn begins to kink, catch centre over door-knob or back of chair. Bring pencils together for one person to hold, while other grasps centre of yarn, sliding hand down and releasing at short intervals, letting yarn twist. Knot ends to prevent unravelling.



3 BABY'S JUMPER ★★P

Two Variations, as illustrated on Page 4

MEASUREMENTS

This garment is designed to be a generous fit.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Fits underarm	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Garment measures (approx)					
	cm	46	52	58	60.5
Length (approx)	cm	20	23	26	29
Sleeve fits	cm	13	16	19	21

MATERIALS

PATONS 3 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Quantity 3 3 4 4

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for this garment.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.

ACCESSORIES - 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10) and 2.75mm (No 12) Milward Knitting Needles or sizes needed to give correct tension. 2 Stitch Holders; 3 Buttons; Anchor Stranded Cotton for Embroidery (see graph on page 12 for Alphabet colours).

ABBREVIATIONS - See page 28.

TENSION - 31 sts and 41 rows to 10 cm over stocking st.

FIRST - CHECK YOUR TENSION.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

JUMPER WITH MOSS STITCH PANELS

BACK

Using 2.75mm Needles, cast on 73 (83-91-95) sts.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row (eyelet row) - K1, * y fwd, K2 tog, rep from * to end.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Beg patt - 1st row - K9 (1-5-7), P1, K1, P1, * K10, P1, K1, P1, rep from * to last 9 (1-5-7) st/s, knit to end.

2nd row - P10 (2-6-8), K1, * P12, K1, rep from * to last 10 (2-6-8) sts, purl to end.

Last 2 rows form patt.

Work a further 34 (44-52-62) rows patt.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark beg of armholes as there is no armhole shaping. **

Work a further 38 (42-46-48) rows patt.

Next row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep last row 3 times.

Shape shoulders - Keeping patt correct, cast off 23 (28-31-33) sts, patt 27 (27-29-29), cast off 23 (28-31-33) sts.

Leave rem 27 (27-29-29) sts on a stitch-holder.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Next row - Patt 25 (30-34-36), K23, patt 25 (30-34-36).

Next row - Patt 24 (29-33-35), P25, patt 24 (29-33-35).

Rep last 2 rows 5 times.

Next row - Patt 12 (17-21-23), K49, patt 12 (17-21-23).

Next row - Patt 11 (16-20-22), P51, patt 11 (16-20-22).

Rep last 2 rows 5 times.

Size A only - Working in stocking st for rem, work 2 rows.

Sizes B, C and D only - **Next row** - Patt (4-8-10), K75, patt (4-8-10).

Next row - Patt (3-7-9), P77, patt (3-7-9).

Rep last 2 rows (2-3-4) times.

All Sizes - **Shape neck** - **Next row** - Patt 30 (35-38-40), turn.

*** Cont on these 30 (35-38-40) sts. Keeping patt correct, dec at neck edge in every row until 26 (31-35-37) sts rem.

Work 1 (1-0-0) row/s.

Working in stocking st for rem, dec at neck edge in next and alt rows until 23 (28-31-33) sts rem.

Work 1 (1-3-3) row/s. ***

Next row - * K1, P1, rep from * to last 1 (0-1-1) st/s, K1 (0-1-1).

Next row - K1 (0-1-1), * P1, K1, rep from * to end.



Rep last 2 rows once.

Cast off in moss st.

Slip next 13 (13-15-15) sts on to stitch-holder and leave. Join yarn to rem sts, patt to end.

Rep from *** to ***.

Next row - K1 (0-1-1), * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Next row - * K1, P1, rep from * to last 1 (0-1-1) st/s, K1 (0-1-1).

Rep last 2 rows once.

Cast off in moss st.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles, cast on 41 (43-45-49) sts.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row (eyelet row) - K1, * y fwd, K2 tog, rep from * to end.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work 9 (9-11-11) rows stocking st (beg with a purl row), inc at each end of 4th and foll alt (alt-alt-4th) rows ... 47 (49-53-53) sts.

Next row - Inc in first st, P0 (0-1-1), K8 (9-10-10), * P1, K1, P1, K10, rep from * once, P1, K1, P1, K8 (9-10-10), P0 (0-1-1), inc in last st ... 49 (51-55-55) sts.

Keeping patt correct as for Back, as placed in last row, and working extra sts into patt, inc at each end of foll alt (alt-4th-4th) rows until there are 53 (57-77-77) sts. **Sizes A, B and D only** - then in foll 4th (4th-6th) row/s until there are 63 (71-79) sts.

All Sizes - Work a further 11 rows patt. Cast off loosely.

NECKBAND

Using back-stitch, join right shoulder seam. With right side facing and using 2.75mm Needles, knit up 71 (71-79-79) sts evenly around neck, incl sts from stitch-holders.

1st row – Knit.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

6th row (eyelet row) – K1, * y fwd, K2 tog, rep from * to end.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row. Cast off loosely.

SHOULDER BAND

Fold neckband in half on to wrong side and slip-stitch in position. Using back-stitch, join left shoulder seam, leaving 6 cm free at neck edge. With right side facing and using 2.75mm Needles, knit up 36 sts evenly around shoulder opening.

1st row – Knit. Cast off loosely.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using “Bullion Stitch” and “Lazy Daisy Stitch” and 6 strands of Stranded Cotton, embroider roses on garment as illustrated. Using back-stitch, join sleeve and side seams to coloured threads. Sew in sleeves. Fold lower edge of jumper and sleeves on to wrong side at eyelet row and slip-stitch in position. Make 3 buttonloops on front edge of shoulder opening, then sew on buttons to correspond.

JUMPER WITH ALPHABET GRAPH

Work as for **Jumper with Moss**

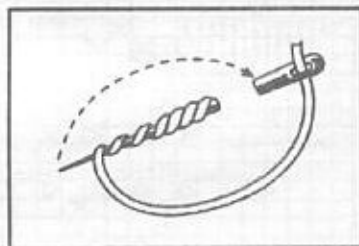
Stitch Panels, working in stocking st instead of patt.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using “Cross Stitch” and 3 strands of Stranded Cotton, embroider front from graph (see page 12) as illustrated and noting to work full motifs only. Using back-stitch, join sleeve and side seams to coloured threads. Sew in sleeves. Fold lower edge of jumper and sleeves on to wrong side at eyelet row and slip-stitch in position. Make 3 buttonloops on front edge of shoulder opening, then sew on buttons to correspond. 

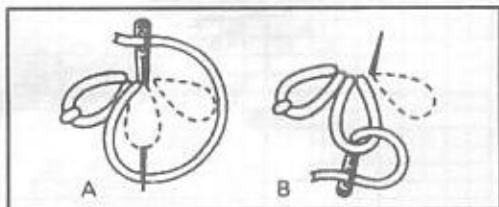
BULLION STITCH

Pick up a Back Stitch, the size of the Bullion Stitch required, bringing the needle point out where it first emerged, do not pull the needle right through the fabric. Twist the thread round the needle point as many times as required to equal the space of the Back Stitch. Hold the left thumb on the coiled thread and pull the needle through; still holding the coiled thread, turn the needle back to where it was inserted (see arrow) and insert in same place. Pull thread through until the Bullion Stitch lies flat. Use a needle with a small eye to allow the thread to pass through the coils easily. Arrange a circular group of Bullion Stitches to make a Grub Rose.



LAZY DAISY STITCH

Work in the same way as Chain Stitch (A), but fasten each loop at the foot with a small stitch (B). This stitch may be worked singly or in groups to form flower petals.



CROSS STITCH EMBROIDERY ON KNITTED FABRIC

A new dimension can be added to garments with Cross Stitch embroidery – this is very easy to do, especially if you do the embroidery before you sew up the garment. It is advisable to use a finer yarn than that in which the garment was knitted. Each square on your graph represents one stitch. It is a good idea before beginning to colour in the graph in the colours to be used.

Begin on the left-hand side.

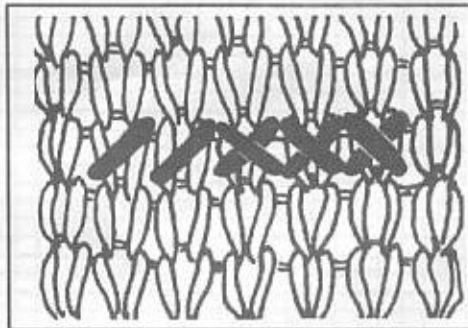
1. Using a tapestry needle or knitters needle, bring the needle from the back through the space to the left of the stitch to be covered.

* 2. Take needle to back through the space to the right of the stitch above the one being covered.

3. Bring needle from back through the space to the left of the next stitch. Repeat from * following graph for required number of stitches (don't pull yarn too tightly or the work will pucker). If you find it difficult to work the stitches loosely enough, you may prefer to work 2 and 3 as separate operations.

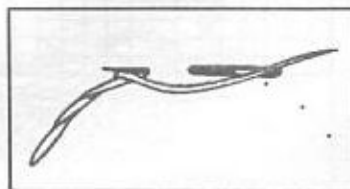
Begin second half of row on right-hand side of graph and work back the other way to complete crosses.

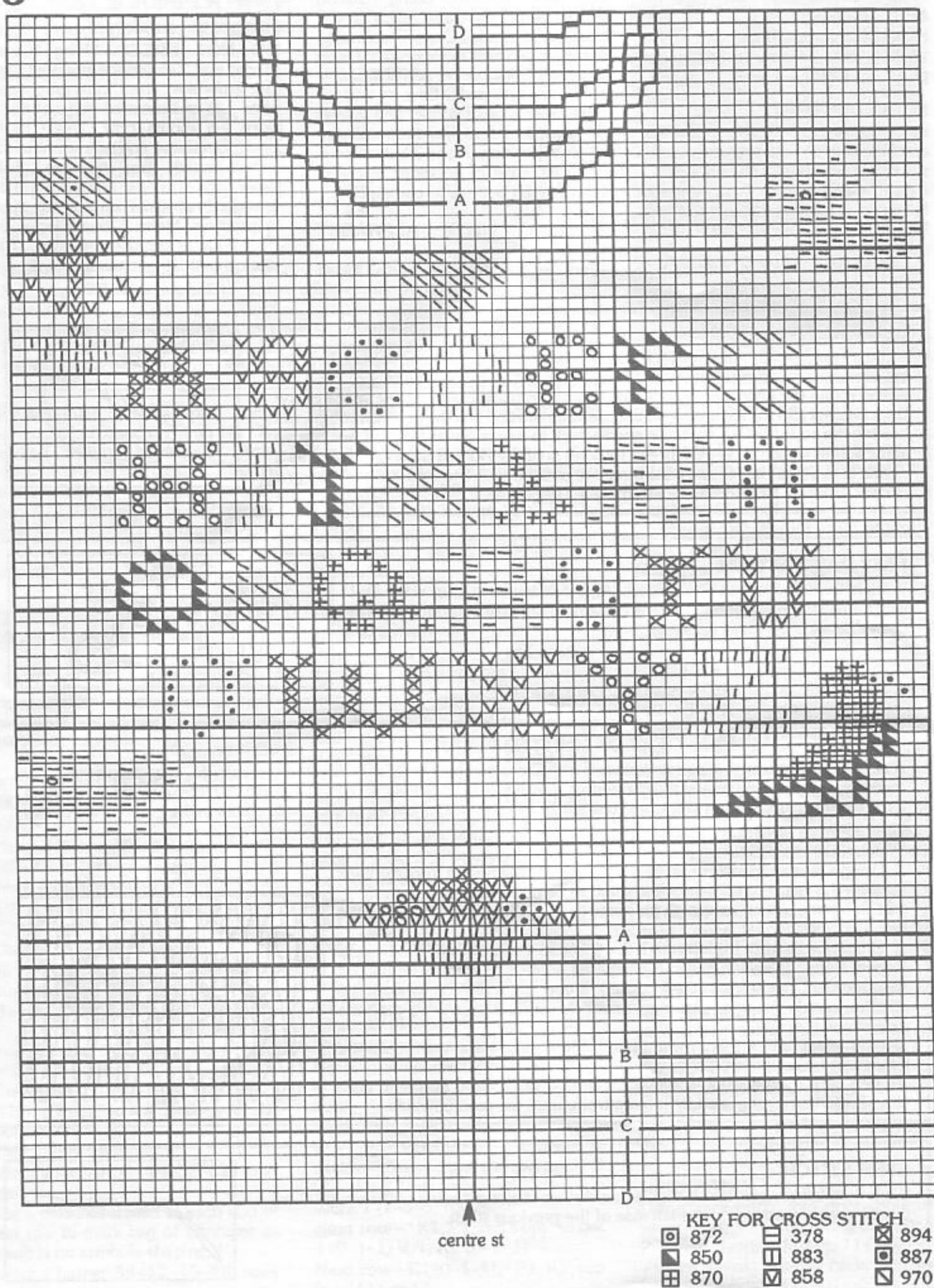
To stop yarn from twisting and tangling as you work, drop needle at back after every few stitches and let it hang freely until the yarn unwinds.



STEM STITCH

Work from left to right, taking regular small stitches along the line of the design. The thread always emerges on the left side of the previous stitch.





CASTING ON FOR K1, P1, RIB

This is a variation of the two-needle method of casting on, and gives a very neat and elastic edge. It is **not** suitable for any rib other than K1, P1.

First you will need to read the first rib row, as this will determine how you start your casting on.

1. If you need an uneven number of stitches and the first row reads "K2, *P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1." – Make a slip loop and place it on left-hand needle. Insert right-hand needle into loop knitways and knit a stitch, slip the stitch thus made on to the left-hand needle.

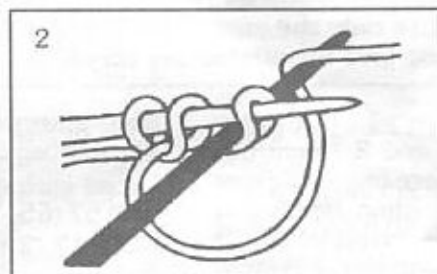
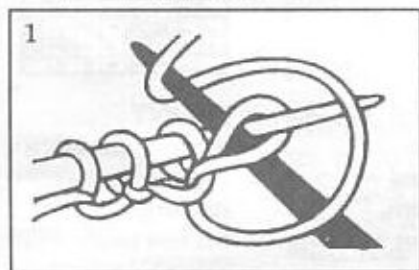
** Insert right-hand needle purlways between last 2 stitches and purl a stitch (diagram 1), slip the stitch thus made on to left-hand needle (taking care not to twist the stitch), insert right-hand needle knitways between last 2 stitches and knit a stitch (diagram 2), slip the stitch thus made on to left-hand needle, rep from ** for required number of stitches, ending with 2 knit stitches (before slipping the last stitch on to your left-hand needle, bring your yarn forward between the two needles – this will keep the edge of your work neat).

2. If you need an even number of stitches and the first row reads "K1, P1, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2." – Work as for method 1, but end with 1 knit stitch instead of 2.

3. If you need an uneven number of stitches and the first row reads "K1, *P1, K1, rep from * to end." – Make a slip loop and place it on left-hand needle. Insert right-hand needle into loop purlways and purl a stitch, slip the stitch thus made on to left-hand needle (taking care not to twist the stitch).

** Insert right-hand needle knitways between last 2 stitches and knit a stitch (diagram 2), slip the stitch thus made on to left-hand needle, insert right-hand needle purlways between last 2 stitches and purl a stitch (diagram 1), slip the stitch thus made on to left-hand needle (taking care not to twist the stitch), rep from ** for required number of stitches, ending with 1 knit stitch (before slipping the last stitch on to your left-hand needle, bring your yarn forward between the two needles – this will keep the edge of your work neat).

4. If you need an even number of stitches and the first row reads "K2, *P1, K1, rep from * to end." – Work as for method 3, but end with 2 knit stitches instead of 1.



KNITTING UP STITCHES

This is the method used for neckbands, armhole bands, etc. Hold work in left hand with right side facing you. Hold working needle and yarn in right hand. Insert point of needle through work from front to back. Wrap yarn round point of needle and knit a stitch.

When working along a cast-off edge, insert needle under both loops of cast-off stitch, and knit up one stitch in each cast-off stitch. (Diagram A)

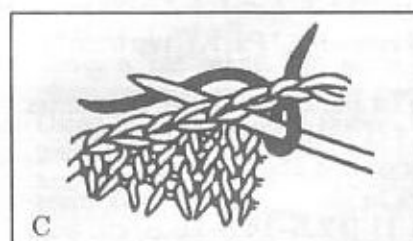
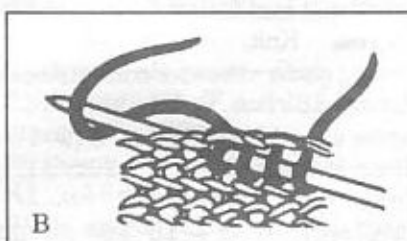
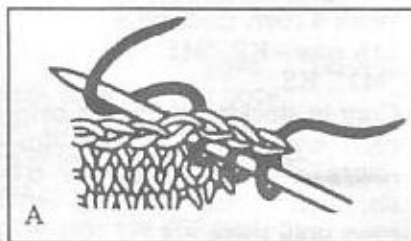
When working along side edge, insert needle inside one full stitch from the edge (i.e. behind 2 loops of stitch, not just the edge loop). (Diagram B)

You will find along this edge that there is alternately one long and one short stitch. If you require less stitches than there are rows along this edge, always knit up through the short stitches and omit some of the long stitches. (Diagram C)

Before commencing, always count the number of rows you have and compare it to the number of stitches you require, then you will be able to make any adjustments evenly along the length of the work.

If you find it difficult to knit up stitches neatly, try using needles 1 or 2 sizes smaller than those in the instructions – but do not forget to change back to the correct size for knitting the band.

Some knitters use a crochet hook to pull the stitches through, slipping them one at a time on to the needle.



4 BABY'S JUMPER, PINAFORE AND DOLL ★★P

As illustrated on Page 29 (top)

MEASUREMENTS

These garments are designed to be a generous fit.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Fits underarm	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Jumper measures	cm	45	51	57	59.5
Length	cm	22	25	28	31
Sleeve fits	cm	13	16	19	21
Pinafore measures (at underarm)	cm	43	48	53	55.5
Length	cm	36	40	45	50

MATERIALS

PATONS 3 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Jumper	3	3	4	4
Pinafore				
1st Colour (C1) Shade 88	1	2	2	2
2nd Colour (C2) Shade 2296	1	2	2	2
3rd Colour (C3) Shade 2295	1	2	2	2
4th Colour (C4) Shade 2297	1	2	2	2
5th Colour (C5) Shade 2294	1	2	2	2

Doll Small Quantity Each Colour

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for these garments.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.

ACCESSORIES - 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10) and 2.75mm (No 12), and for Pinafore only - 4.00mm (No 8) Milward Knitting Needles or sizes needed to give correct tension. 3 Stitch Holders for Jumper; 2 Buttons for Jumper, 3 for Pinafore; Washable Filling and Ribbon for Doll.

ABBREVIATIONS - See page 28.

TENSION - 31 sts to 10 cm in width over stocking st using 3.25mm Needles; 27 sts and 55 rows to 10 cm over garter st using 4.00mm Needles.

FIRST - CHECK YOUR TENSION. Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

JUMPER

BACK

Using 2.75mm Needles, cast on 71 (81-91-95) sts.

1st row - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 6 (6-8-8) times ... 14 (14-18-18) rows rib in all.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work in stocking st until work measures 11 (12.5-14.5-16.5) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape armholes - Cast off 3 (4-4-4) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec at each end of next and alt rows until 57 (65-73-77) sts rem. **

Work 17 (23-25-29) rows stocking st.

Divide for back opening - 1st row - K31 (35-39-41), turn.

Cont on these 31 (35-39-41) sts.

2nd row - K5, purl to end.

3rd row - Knit.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 5 times, then 2nd row once.

15th row - Knit to last 3 sts, y fwd, K2 tog, K1 ... buttonhole.

Keeping garter st border correct, work a further 5 rows.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 8 (9-10-11) sts at beg of next row, then 7 (9-11-12) sts at beg of foll alt row.

Work 1 row.

Leave rem 16 (17-18-18) sts on a stitch-holder.

Join yarn to rem sts, cast on 5 sts for underlap and knit to end.

Cont on these 31 (35-39-41) sts.

2nd row - Purl to last 5 sts, K5.

3rd row - Knit.

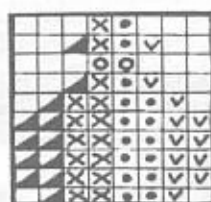
Keeping garter st border correct, work a further 18 rows.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 8 (9-10-11) sts at beg of next row, then 7 (9-11-12) sts at beg of foll alt row.

Leave rem 16 (17-18-18) sts on stitch-holder.



KEY FOR KNITTING STITCH



- ◻ = C4
- ◼ = C2, C3, C4 and C5 as desired (varying with each motif)
- ⊗ = C4
- ⊙ = C2, C3, C4 and C5 as desired (varying with each motif)
- ⊠ = C4
- ⊡ = C2, C3, C4 and C5 as desired (varying with each motif)

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Work a further 21 (27-27-31) rows stocking st.

Shape neck - Next row - K22 (26-29-31), turn.

*** Cont on these 22 (26-29-31) sts.

Dec at neck edge in every row until 20 (22-27-29) sts rem, then in alt rows until 15 (18-21-23) sts rem.

Work 3 rows stocking st.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 8 (9-10-11) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off. ***

Slip next 13 (13-15-15) sts on to stitch-holder and leave. Join yarn to rem sts and knit to end.

Rep from *** to ***, working 4 rows instead of 3 before shoulder shaping.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles, cast on 39 (41-43-47) sts.

Work 10 (10-14-14) rows rib as for Back, inc 6 (8-8-8) sts evenly across last row ... 45 (49-51-55) sts.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - K2, "M1", knit to last 2 sts, "M1", K2.

Cont in stocking st, inc (as before) at each end of foll alt (4th-4th-4th) row/s until there are 53 (59-61-59) sts, then in foll 4th (6th-6th-6th) rows until there are 57 (63-67-71) sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures 11 (14-16-18) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape top – Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec at each end of next and alt rows until 41 (43-47-49) sts rem, then in every row until 11 (13-13-15) sts rem. Cast off.

NECKBAND

Using back-stitch, join shoulder seams. With right side facing and using 2.75mm Needles, knit up 79 (81-89-89) sts evenly around neck, incl sts from stitch-holders.

1st row – K5, * P1, K1, rep from * to last 4 sts, K4.

2nd row – K6, * P1, K1, rep from * to last 5 sts, K5.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 3 times, then 1st row once, working a buttonhole (as before) in 2nd row. Cast off loosely in rib.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew underlap in position. Sew on buttons.

PINAFORE

SKIRT (worked sideways)

Using 4.00mm Needles and C2, cast on 56 (62-70-78) sts.

** Knit 2 rows garter st.

(NOTE – When turning, bring yarn to front of work, slip next st on to right-hand needle, y bk, slip st back on to left-hand needle, then turn and proceed as instructed – this avoids holes in work) – **3rd row** – Knit to last 6 sts, turn.

4th row – Knit to end.

Rep last 4 rows 16 (18-20-21) times.

**

Rep from ** to ** 7 times, using C3, C4, C5, C2, C3, C4, then C5.

Cast off loosely.

BODICE

With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and C1, knit up 139 (153-169-177) sts evenly along shorter edge of skirt.

1st row – K5, purl to last 5 sts, K5.

2nd row – Knit to last 3 sts, y fwd, K2 tog, K1 ... buttonhole.

3rd row – As 1st row.

4th row – Knit.

Rep 3rd and 4th rows 1 (2-3-4) time/s, then 3rd row once.

Next row – As 2nd row.

Rep 3rd and 4th rows 2 (3-4-5) times.

Next row – Knit.

Next row – As 2nd row.

Knit 2 rows. Cast off loosely.

SHOULDER STRAPS

(worked sideways)

Using 3.25mm Needles and C1, cast on 60 (64-72-78) sts.

1st row (wrong side) – Knit.

2nd and 3rd rows – Knit to last 6 sts, turn.

4th row – Knit to end.

Rep last 4 rows 7 (8-10-11) times.

Cast off loosely.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using Knitting Stitch (see page 20), embroider bodice from Graph (opposite) as illustrated.

Using back-stitch, join centre back seam to within 4 cm of bodice. Sew on buttons. Using a flat seam, sew shoulder straps in position, leaving 8 (8-9-9) cm free at centre back and front.

DOLL

BODY PIECES

(make 2 each in C2, C3, C4 and C5) Using 3.25mm Needles, cast on 2 sts.

1st row – Inc in first st, K1.

2nd row – Purl.

3rd row – Inc in each of first 2 sts, K1. Work 3 rows stocking st (beg with a purl row).

7th row – Inc in first st, knit to last 2 sts, inc in next st, K1.

Rep last 4 rows until there are 13 sts.

Work 35 rows stocking st.

Next row – K1, (K2 tog) 6 times ... 7 sts.

Next row – Purl. Cast off.

Using back-stitch, join pieces tog. Fill lightly.

HEAD

Using 3.25mm Needles and C1, cast on 42 sts.

Work 2 rows stocking st.

3rd row – K1, (K2 tog, K3) 8 times, K1 ... 34 sts.

4th row – Purl.

5th row – K1, (K2, sl 1, K1, pssso) 8 times, K1 ... 26 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st.

9th row – K1, ("M1", K3) 8 times, K1 ... 34 sts.

10th row – Purl.

11th row – K1, (K4, "M1") 8 times, K1 ... 42 sts.

Work 11 rows stocking st.

23rd row – K1, (K2 tog, K3) 8 times, K1 ... 34 sts.

24th and alt rows – Purl.

25th row – K1, (K2, sl 1, K1, pssso) 8 times, K1 ... 26 sts.

27th row – K1, (K2 tog, K1) 8 times, K1 ... 18 sts.

29th row – K1, (sl 1, K1, pssso) 8 times, K1 ... 10 sts.

Break off yarn, run end through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

Using back-stitch, join seam. Fill fairly firmly, then oversew to top of body, placing seam to centre back.

FEET

(make 2 pieces each in C2 and C5)

Using 3.25mm Needles, cast on 7 sts.

1st row – Knit.

2nd row – P1, "M1" (purlways), purl to last st, "M1", P1.

3rd row – K1, "M1", knit to last st, "M1", K1.

4th row – As 2nd row ... 13 sts.

Work 6 rows stocking st.

11th row – K1, K2 tog, knit to last 3 sts, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1.

Dec (as before) at each end of foll 4th rows twice ... 7 sts.

20th row – P1, P2 tog tbl, P1, P2 tog, P1 ... 5 sts. Cast off.

Using back-stitch, join tog in pairs, leaving cast-on edge free, turn to right side and fill very lightly, then close opening. Sew to base of body as illustrated.

ARMS

Using 3.25mm Needles and C1, cast on 11 sts.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

Change to C3 for Right Arm or C4 for Left Arm.

5th row – K1, ("M1", K1) 10 times ... 21 sts.

Work 15 rows stocking st.

21st row – K1, (K2 tog) 10 times.

22nd row – (P2 tog) 5 times, P1 ... 6 sts. Cast off.

Using back-stitch, join seam, leaving C1 section free, turn to right side and fill lightly, then close opening. Sew to body as illustrated.

HAT

Using 3.25mm Needles and C2, cast on 12 sts.

1st row – Knit.

2nd row – K7, turn.

3rd and alt rows – Knit to end.

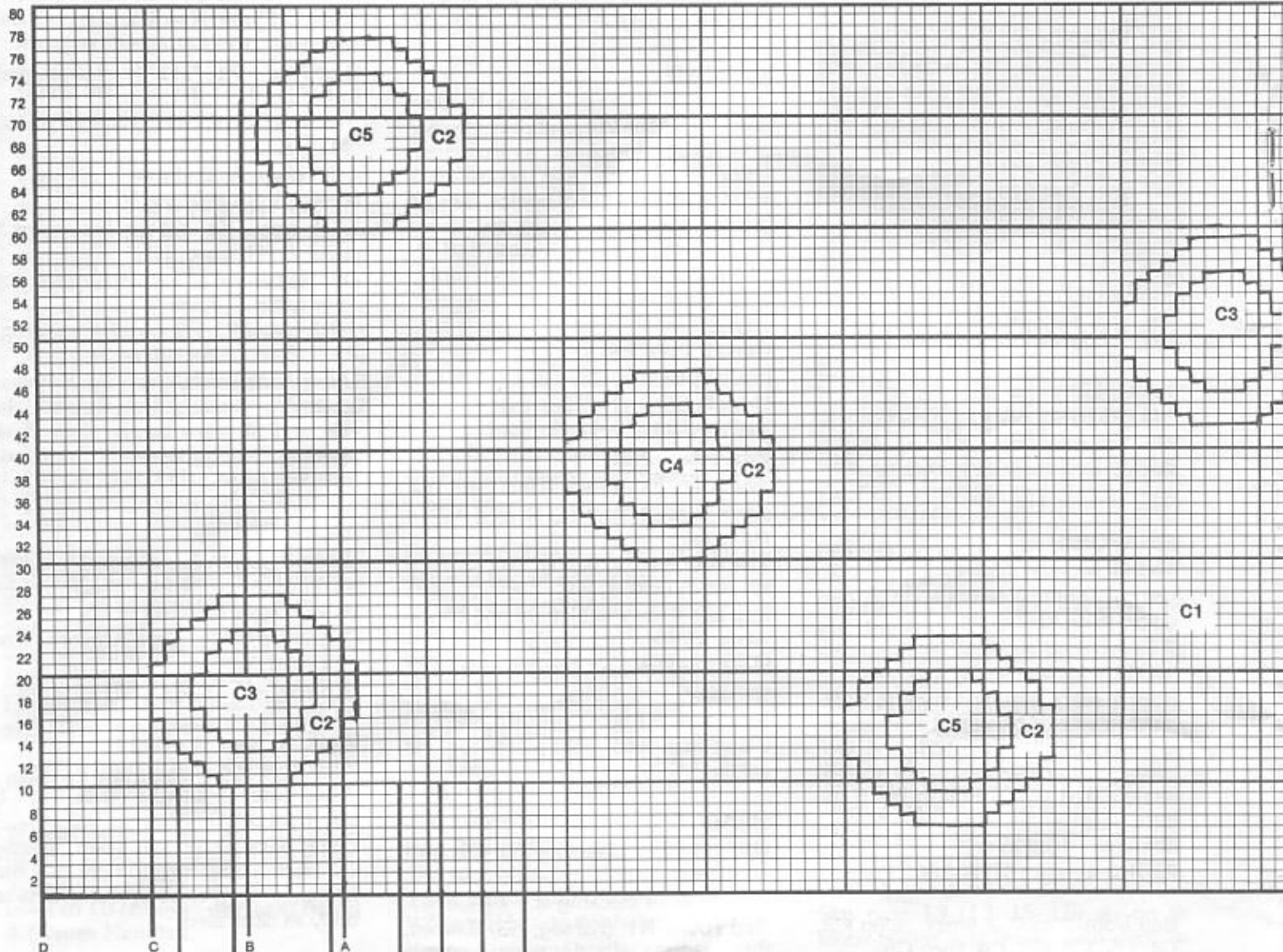
4th row – K9, turn.

6th row – K10, turn.

8th row – Knit.

Rep last 8 rows 7 times, in stripes of 8 rows each C3, C4, C5, C2, C3, C4 and C5. Cast off.

Using a flat seam, join seam, then place on doll and catch in position. Using C3 and C4 and Bullion Stitch (see page 11), embroider features as illustrated. Tie ribbon around neck and around base of hat, and catch securely in position. 🧸



Poncho

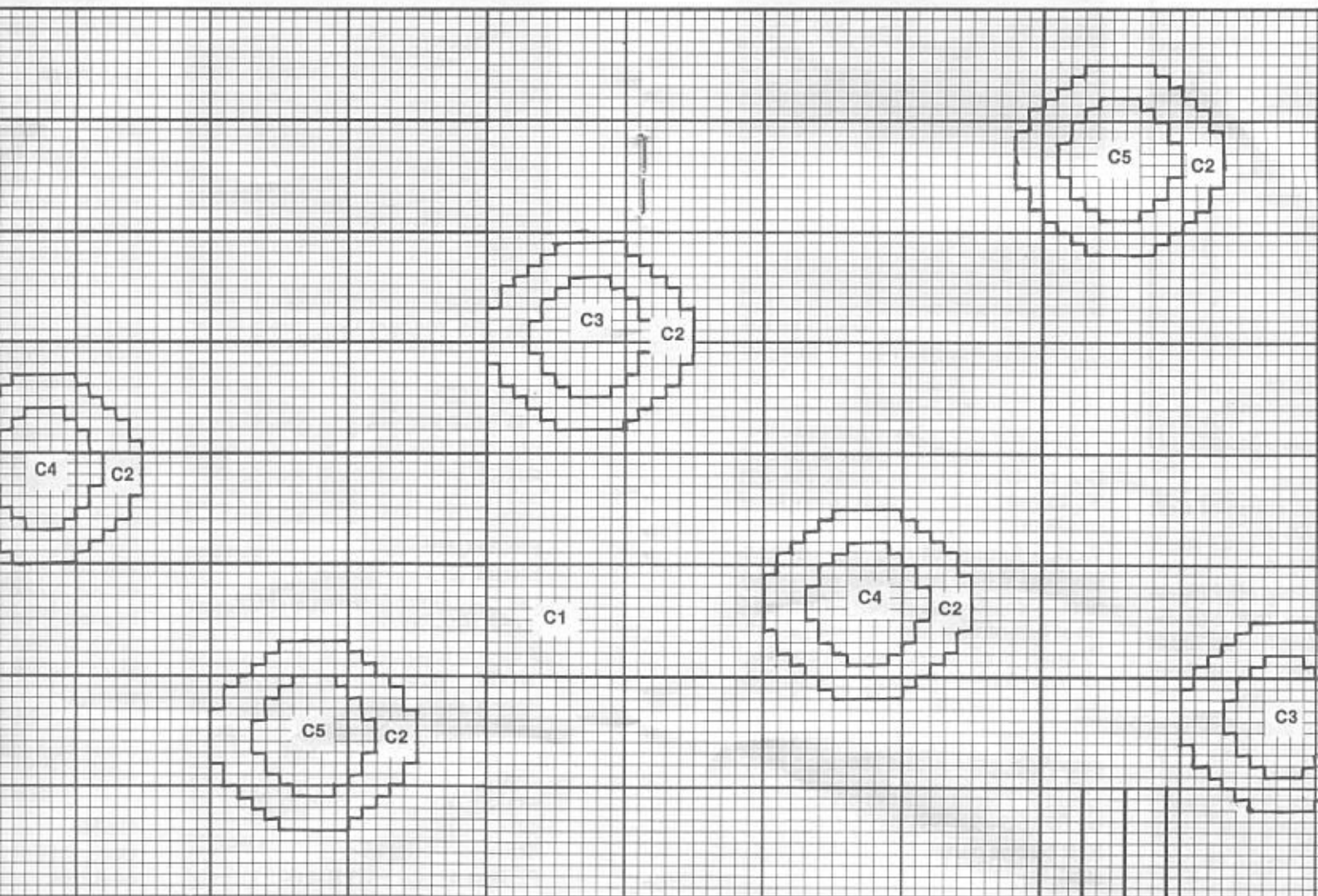
Hood

Leggings

Heavy lines represent changes in color

Read right-side rows from right to left and wrong-side rows

For 2nd rep of Graph —
use C4 instead of C3
C5 instead of C4
C3 instead of C5

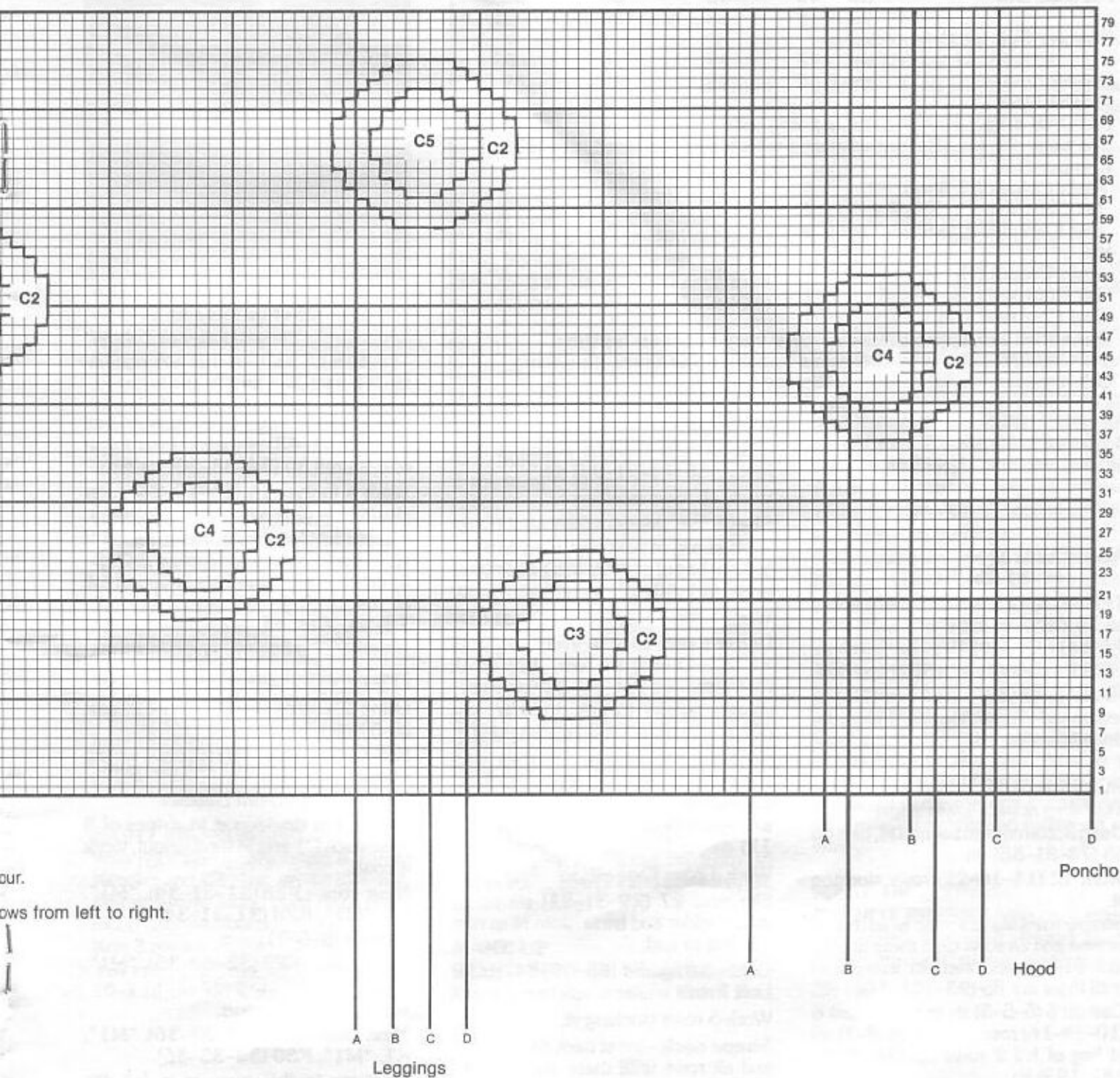


Heavy lines represent changes in colour.

Read right-side rows from right to left and wrong-side rows from left to right.

For 2nd rep of Graph —
 use C4 instead of C3
 C5 instead of C4
 C3 instead of C5

A B C D
 Leggings



5 BABY'S ROMPER SUIT AND HAT ★★ P

As illustrated on Page 29 (bottom)

MEASUREMENTS

The romper suit is designed to be a generous fit.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Fits underarm	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Romper Suit length (approx)	cm	42	49	56	63
	cm	40	45	48	49.5

MATERIALS

PATONS 4 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Romper Suit

Main Colour (M) Shade 88	4	4	5	6
1st Contrast (C1) Shade 2297	2	2	3	3
2nd Contrast (C2) Shade 2294	2	2	2	2

Hat

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for these garments.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.

ACCESSORIES - 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10) and 2.75mm (No 12) Milward Knitting Needles or sizes needed to give correct tension. A Stitch Holder; 12 Buttons.

ABBREVIATIONS - See page 28.

TENSION - 29 sts and 38.5 rows to 10 cm over stocking st.

FIRST - CHECK YOUR TENSION.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

ROMPER SUIT

TOP (beg at back lower edge)

Using 3.25mm Needles and M, cast on 65 (73-81-85) sts.

Work 12 (14-16-22) rows stocking st.

Shape for sleeves - Inc at each end of next and alt rows until there are 71 (83-91-95) sts, then in every row until there are 85 (93-101-105) sts. Cast on 6 (5-5-5) sts at beg of next 6 (10-14-16) rows, then 7 (8-8-7) sts at beg of foll 2 rows ... 135 (159-187-199) sts.

Work a further 30 (30-32-32) rows stocking st.

Divide for right front - Next row - K54 (65-78-84), turn.

Cont on these 54 (65-78-84) sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st.

Shape neck - Inc at neck edge in next and alt rows until there are 60 (71-85-91) sts.

Work 2 rows stocking st.

Cast on 5 (6-6-6) sts at beg of next row ... 65 (77-91-97) sts.

Work 10 rows stocking st.

Shape for sleeve - Cast off 7 (8-8-7) sts at beg of next row, then 6 (5-5-5) sts at beg of alt rows 3 (5-7-8) times ... 40 (44-48-50) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec at sleeve edge in every row until 31 (37-41-43) sts rem, then in alt row/s until 30 (34-38-40) sts rem.

Work a further 13 (15-17-23) rows stocking st (this completes side edge).

Shape for lower curve - Cast off 2 sts at beg of next and alt rows 6 (2-2-2) times in all, then 3 sts at beg of foll alt rows 4 (8-8-8) times ... 6 (6-10-12) sts.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

Slip next 27 (29-31-31) sts on to stitch-holder and leave. Join M to rem sts, knit to end.

Cont on these 54 (65-78-84) sts for **Left Front**.

Work 5 rows stocking st.

Shape neck - Inc at neck edge in next and alt rows until there are 60 (71-85-91) sts.

Work 1 row stocking st.

Cast on 5 (6-6-6) sts at beg of next row ... 65 (77-91-97) sts.

Work 12 rows stocking st.

Shape for sleeve - Cast off 7 (8-8-7) sts at beg of next row, then 6 (5-5-5) sts at beg of alt rows 3 (5-7-8) times ... 40 (44-48-50) sts.

Dec at sleeve edge in every row until 31 (37-41-43) sts rem, then in alt row/s until 30 (34-38-40) sts rem.

Work a further 14 (16-18-24) rows stocking st (this completes side edge).

Shape for lower curve - Cast off 2 sts at beg of next and alt rows 6 (2-2-2) times in all, then 3 sts at beg of foll alt rows 4 (8-8-8) times ... 6 (6-10-12) sts. Cast off.

LEFT LEG

Using 2.75mm Needles and C2, cast on 57 (63-63-69) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Working in stocking st in stripes of 8 rows each C1 and M throughout, work 4 rows.

Next row - K28 (31-31-34), "M1", K1, "M1", K28 (31-31-34).

Work 3 (5-5-7) rows.

Next row - K29 (32-32-35), "M1", K1, "M1", K29 (32-32-35).

Work 3 (5-5-7) rows.

Next row - K30 (33-33-36), "M1", K1, "M1", K30 (33-33-36).

Cont inc in this manner in foll 4th (6th-6th-8th) rows until there are 75 (81-85-89) sts, then in alt rows until there are 79 (85-93-99) sts.

Work 1 row.

Shape crotch - **Next row** - Cast on 3 (4-6-6) sts, K42 (46-52-55), "M1", K1, "M1", K39 (42-46-49).

Next row - Cast on 3 (4-6-6) sts, purl to end ... 87 (95-107-113) sts.



Inc in centre (as before) in next and alt rows until there are 95 (103-115-121) sts.

Work a further 21 (25-25-29) rows stocking st.

Next row - K45 (49-55-58), sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, K2 tog, K45 (49-55-58).

Work 3 rows stocking st.

Next row - K44 (48-54-57), sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, K2 tog, K44 (48-54-57).

Cont dec in this manner in foll 4th rows until 87 (95-105-111) sts rem.
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Work 2 rows stocking st.

Shape for curve - Cast off 8 (8-12-14) sts at beg of next row, then 4 sts at beg of alt rows 14 times ... 23 (31-37-41) sts. Cast off.

RIGHT LEG

Work as for Left Leg to ..

Work 1 row stocking st.

Shape for curve - Cast off 8 (8-12-14) sts at beg of next row, then 4 sts at beg of alt rows 14 times ... 23 (31-37-41) sts.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

CUFFS

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and M, knit up 41 (41-45-45) sts evenly along sleeve edge.

Using C1, **1st row** - Purl.

Knit 5 rows garter st. Cast off.

NECKBAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and M, knit up 69 (73-79-79) sts evenly around neck, incl sts from stitch-holder.

Using C2, **1st row** - Purl.

Knit 5 rows garter st. Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and C1, knit up 48 (56-60-68) sts evenly along right front edge, incl end of neckband.

Knit 3 rows garter st.

4th row - K7, cast off 2 sts, [K7 (9-10-12), cast off 2 sts] 4 times, K3.

5th row - K3, turn, cast on 2 sts, turn, [K7 (9-10-12), turn, cast on 2 sts, turn] 4 times, K7 ... 5 buttonholes. Knit 3 rows. Cast off.

LEFT FRONT BAND

Work as for Right Front Band, omitting buttonholes.

MOCK POCKETS (make 2)

Using 2.75mm Needles and C2, cast on 11 sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Cast off.

FRONT LEG BAND

Using back-stitch, join centre front and back seams of legs. With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and C2, knit up 46 (58-76-88) sts evenly along front edge of right leg, then 46 (58-76-88) sts evenly along front edge of left leg ... 92 (116-152-176) sts.

Knit 1 row garter st.

2nd row - K3, cast off 2 sts, [K12 (16-22-26), cast off 2 sts] 6 times, K3.

3rd row - K3, turn, cast on 2 sts, turn, [K12 (16-22-26), turn, cast on 2 sts, turn] 6 times, K3 ... 7 buttonholes.

Knit 3 rows garter st. Cast off loosely.

BACK LEG BAND

Work as for Front Leg Band, omitting buttonholes.

TRIM

Using 3.25mm Needles and C2, cast on 310 (342-374-390) sts.

(NOTE - If this number of sts will not fit comfortably on needle, we suggest using a circular needle.)

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Work 13 rows stocking st.

17th row - P1, * P2 tog, rep from * to last st, P1 ... 156 (172-188-196) sts.

Cast off loosely.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join side and sleeve seams. Catch front

bands tog at lower edge. Sew pants to top, gathering in fullness and taking care not to make seam too tight. Join ends of trim tog, then slip-stitch in position along seam as illustrated, easing to fit and taking care not to make seam too tight. Sew mock pockets in position. Sew on buttons.

HAT

Using 2.75mm Needles and C2, cast on 204 (208-232-238) sts.

(NOTE - If this number of sts will not fit comfortably on needle, we suggest using a circular needle.)

Knit 5 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work 12 rows stocking st.

Change to 2.75mm Needles.

Next row - K1, * K2 tog, rep from * to last st, K1 ... 103 (105-117-120) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Working in stocking st, in stripes of 8 rows each C1 and M throughout, cont as foll - **Next row** - K7 (5-9-11), "M1", * K9 (4-5-4), "M1", rep from * to last 6 (4-8-9) sts, knit to end ... 114 (130-138-146) sts.

Work 29 (29-31-31) rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Shape crown - **1st row** - K1, * K2 tog, K12 (14-15-16), rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd and 4th rows - Purl.

3rd row - K1, * K2 tog, K11 (13-14-15), rep from * to last st, K1.

5th row - K1, * K2 tog, K10 (12-13-14), rep from * to last st, K1.

Cont dec in this manner (working one st less between dec each time) in alt rows until 34 sts rem.

Break off yarn, run end through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join seam. If desired, thread round elastic through garter st at top of frill. 

SLIP-STITCH

This is the method used for turning up hems or stitching double neckbands in place. Work 1 stitch into each cast-on or cast-off stitch to be sure that the work will be elastic. Always be sure that the stitches follow up evenly and do not form a crooked line.



HELPING YOU TO READ GRAPHS

A graph is like a picture of your work (looked at from the right side of the finished work), with each square representing a stitch.

For **Fair Isle**, different symbols are used to represent different colours, and you work in stocking stitch, reading knit rows from right to left and purl rows from left to right (unless otherwise stated).

For **Picture Knitting**, heavy lines are generally used to represent changes between colours, with symbols being used in more intricate areas. Again you work in stocking stitch, reading knit rows from right to left and purl rows from left to right (unless otherwise stated).

For **Textured Patterns**, different symbols are used to represent different stitches (knit, purl, slip, etc). You read the right-side rows from right to left and the wrong-side rows from left to right (unless otherwise stated). Some knitters are confused by the fact that the same symbol will be used for a purl stitch on a right-side row as for a knit stitch on a wrong-side row – the fact is that they both look the same from the right side, and the graph is a "picture" of your work from the right side.

When reading any graph, first look for your size on the edge where you are to begin, then work from this point across the row to where your size is marked on the other side. If there is a pattern repeat on the graph (usually marked by a bracket and the words "10 st rep" or similar), you must work these stitches as many times as necessary to get to the required distance from the end of the row (this is the same as saying, in a written pattern, "rep from * to last ... sts").

KNITTING STITCH EMBROIDERY

Interest can be added to garments with Knitting Stitch embroidery – this is very easy to do, especially if you do the embroidery before you sew up the garment. Knitting stitch is worked over each knitted stitch with a contrasting colour. It is necessary to use yarn of the same thickness as the knitted garment. Be careful not to pull the stitch too tightly and it will cover the existing stitch completely.

A completed stitch looks like a "V". Each square on the graph represents one stitch. It is a good idea, before beginning, to colour in the graph in the colours to be used.

Begin at lower edge of graph, on the right-hand side.

Using a tapestry or knitters needle, bring the needle from the back through the centre of the stitch below the one to be covered.

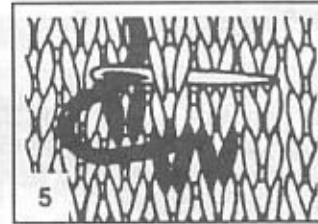
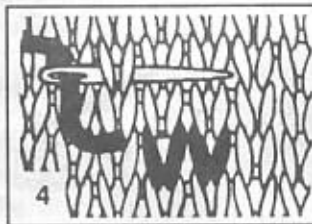
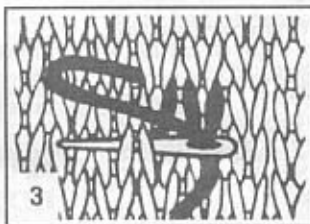
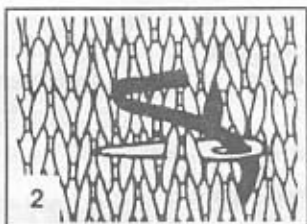
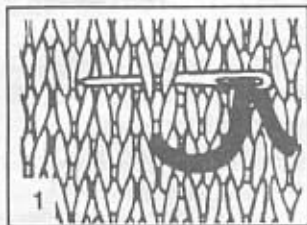
* Take needle from right to left under both strands of stitch above the one to be covered.

Bring needle back to the start of the stitch, take needle behind 2 strands in row below and across into the centre of next stitch. You have worked one knitting stitch.

Repeat from * following graph for required number of stitches. To finish, bring needle back to the start of the stitch and through to the back of the work.

To begin the second row – Bring needle from back to centre of stitch below the one to be covered. Working from left to right pick up both strands of stitch in row above the one to be covered.

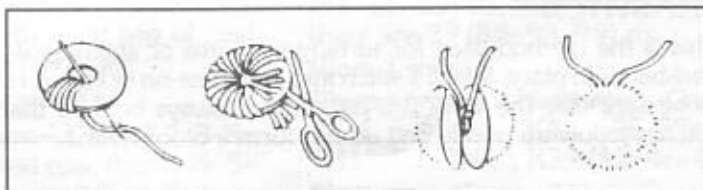
Take needle back to beginning of stitch, pick up 2 strands which brings the needle across into centre of next stitch. When working stitch above one worked in the previous row your needle will come up in the centre of this worked stitch. Repeat this, following graph for number of stitches to be worked.



POM-PONS

To make a pom-pom, cut two circles of cardboard, the diameter depends on the size of the pom-pom to be made, and should be equal to the size of the finished pom-pom plus approximately 1.25 cm for trimming, plus the diameter of the centre hole, e.g. for a pom-pom 4 cm across, the circles would be 4 cm, plus 1.25 cm, plus 1.25 cm for centre hole, equals 6.5 cm. Cut a round hole in the centre, the size of the hole is approximately a quarter of the finished pom-pom. Wind the yarn round and round the cardboard until the centre hole is completely filled up.

Place the point of a pair of scissors between the two circles of cardboard and cut around, keeping the scissors between the cardboard all the time. Using a double strand of yarn, wrap round between the two circles of cardboard, knot firmly, and take away cardboard. Trim pom-pom.



FAIR ISLE KNITTING

Fair Isle is quite easy to do, as long as you stick to a few basic guidelines.

Most Fair Isle designs are worked from graphs. The graph is like a picture of your work, with each square representing a stitch. You work in stocking stitch, reading the knit rows from right to left and the purl rows from left to right (unless otherwise stated). If you are working in rounds (e.g. on a circular yoke), you should read every round from right to left. You may find it helpful to colour in your graph before beginning, using colours similar to those in your knitting.

There are two methods of working Fair Isle – Stranding and Weaving. Stranding gives a “cleaner” shape to the pattern, but it sometimes leaves you with fairly long threads on the wrong side. Weaving gives a neater finish on the wrong side, but it can make the right side look uneven. We recommend Stranding, catching the loose threads into the work at the centre if they pass over more than about seven stitches.

Stranding means carrying the colour(s) not in use loosely across on the wrong side. Most knitters find their own method of holding the yarns, but the following suggestion, once mastered, is very easy and saves having to put down and pick up the colours all the time.

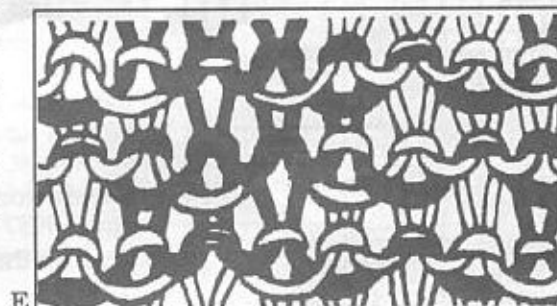
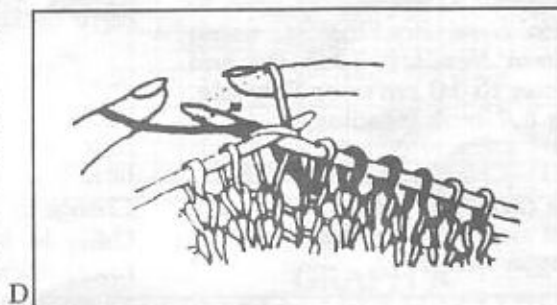
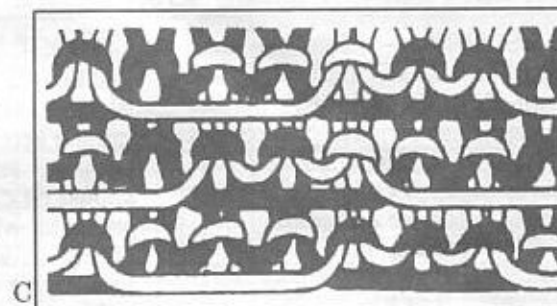
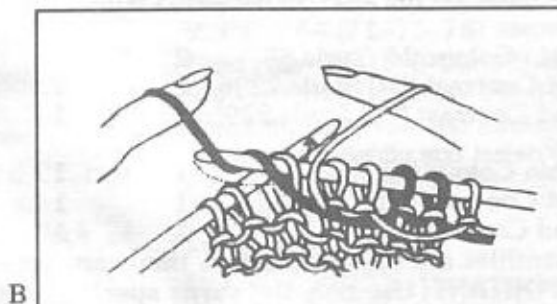
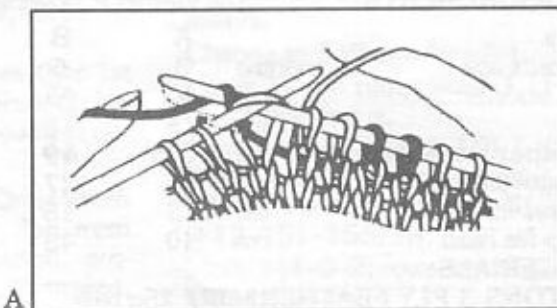
Hold one colour in your right hand and the other in your left. Knit the first colour stitches in the normal way, but with the second colour stitches, insert the needle into stitch and hook yarn through with the point of the needle. Diagrams A and B.

For an even finish one colour should always be kept above and the other below. Usually the background colour is carried above (held in the right hand) and the pattern colour(s) below (held in the left hand). Diagram C shows the wrong side of knitting correctly stranded.

Take care not to pull the yarn tightly across on the wrong side. The strand of yarn should actually be **looser** than the stitches across which it is carried, to allow some elasticity in the finished fabric. When using the stranded yarn again, it is advisable to **s-t-r-e-t-c-h** the preceding few stitches along your right-hand needle, thus forcing extra length into the stranded yarn. This is particularly important when working with a circular needle (e.g. on a circular yoke) as the stitches tend to bunch together on the thin flexible part of the needle.

Weaving means carrying the colour(s) not in use under and over the colour in use on alternate stitches. Knit one stitch normally, holding the colour(s) not in use in the left hand, **underneath** the point of the right-hand needle; for the next stitch hold the colour(s) in the left hand **above** the point of the right-hand needle as you knit the stitch (Diagram D), but take care not to pull it through with the stitch. Repeat these two movements. Diagram E shows the wrong side of knitting correctly woven.

Whichever method you use, take the time to untangle your colours after every row. Don't unwind too much yarn at once. You may find it helpful to slip an elastic band round each ball to prevent further unwinding.



6 BABY'S JUMPER AND CAP ★★P

As illustrated on Page 30

MEASUREMENTS

The jumper is designed to be a generous fit.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Fits underarm	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Jumper measures	cm	43.5	49	54.5	57.5
Length (approx)	cm	24	27	31	34
Sleeve fits	cm	13	16	19	21
Cap fits head	cm	40	45	48	49.5

MATERIALS

PATONS 3 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Jumper

Main Colour (M) Shade 88	2	3	3	4
1st Contrast (C1) Shade 2296	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2) Shade 2295	1	1	1	1

Cap

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for these garments.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.

ACCESSORIES – 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10), 3.75mm (No 9) and 2.75mm (No 12) Milward Knitting Needles or sizes needed to give correct tension. 3 Stitch Holders and 2 Buttons for Jumper; 7 Colours in Anchor Stranded Cotton for embroidery.

ABBREVIATIONS – See page 28.

TENSION – 31 sts and 41 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 3.25mm Needles; 34.5 sts and 35 rows to 10 cm over Fair Isle, using 3.75mm Needles.

FIRST – CHECK YOUR TENSION.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

JUMPER

BACK

Using 2.75mm Needles and C1, cast on 69 (77–87–91) sts.

1st row – K2, *P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row – K1, *P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 5 times ... 12 rows rib in all.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

NOTE – This instruction has been written specifically for the stitch pattern given. Using any other stitch may result in a garment which is the wrong shape or size.

Work 8 rows stocking st, inc 8 (10–10–10) sts evenly across last row ... 77 (87–97–101) sts.

Change to 3.75mm Needles.

NOTE – Do not weave colours in Fair Isle patt, but carry colour not in use loosely across on wrong side. It is important, however, that no colour should be carried across more than 7 sts, and where this is necessary it should be woven under and over colour in use at centre st. Always carry colours to ends of rows and always carry background colour above patt colour.

Work rows 1 to 18 incl from Graph A (opposite).

Rep rows 10 to 18 incl 1 (1–2–3) time/s.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Using M for rem, work 1 (9–8–9) row/s stocking st, dec 8 (10–10–10) sts evenly across 1st row ... 69 (77–87–91) sts.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark beg of armholes as there is no armhole shaping. **

Work a further 28 (32–38–40) rows stocking st.

Divide for back opening – Next row – K37 (41–46–48), turn.

Cont on these 37 (41–46–48) sts.

2nd row – K5, purl to end.

3rd row – Knit.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 5 times, then 2nd row once.

15th row – Knit to last 3 sts, y fwd, K2 tog (buttonhole), K1.

16th row – As 2nd row.

Shape shoulder – Cast off 5 (6–7–7) sts at beg of next and alt rows 3 times in

all, then 5 (5–6–8) sts at beg of foll alt row. Work 1 row.

Leave rem 17 (18–19–19) sts on a stitch-holder.

Join yarn to rem sts, cast on 5 sts for underlap, knit to end.

Cont on these 37 (41–46–48) sts.

2nd row – Purl to last 5 sts, K5.

3rd row – Knit.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 7 times.

Shape shoulder – Cast off 5 (6–7–7) sts at beg of next and alt rows 3 times in all, then 5 (5–6–8) sts at beg of foll alt row.

Leave rem 17 (18–19–19) sts on a stitch-holder.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Work a further 32 (36–40–42) rows stocking st.

Shape neck – Next row – K27 (31–35–37), turn.

*** Cont on these 27 (31–35–37) sts. Dec at neck edge in every row until 23 (25–31–33) sts rem, then in alt rows until 20 (23–27–29) sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Shape shoulder – Cast off 5 (6–7–7) sts at beg of next and alt rows 3 times in all. Work 1 row. Cast off. ***

Slip next 15 (15–17–17) sts on to stitch-holder and leave. Join yarn to rem sts and knit to end.

Rep from *** to ***, working 2 rows instead of 1 before shoulder shaping.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles and C1, cast on 39 (41–43–45) sts.



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7 BABY'S PONCHO AND LEGGINGS ★★P

As illustrated on Page 31

MEASUREMENTS

These garments are designed to be a generous fit.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Poncho Fits underarm	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Length	cm	27	30	32.5	35
Leggings Length	cm	31	36	41	46

MATERIALS

PATONS 4 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Poncho

1st Colour (C1) Shade 88	6	6	7	7
2nd Colour (C2) Shade 2295	2	2	3	3
3rd Colour (C3) Shade 2464	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
4th Colour (C4) Shade 2294	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
5th Colour (C5) Shade 2463	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2

Leggings

1st Colour (C1)	1	1	1	1
2nd Colour (C2)	4	4	4	5
3rd Colour (C3)	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
4th Colour (C4)	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
5th Colour (C5)	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for these garments.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.

ACCESSORIES - 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10) and 2.75mm (No 12) Milward Knitting Needles, or sizes needed to give correct tension. Yarn Bobs; 3 Buttons for **Poncho**; Length of Round Elastic for **Leggings**.

ABBREVIATIONS - See page 28.

TENSION - 29 sts and 38.5 rows to 10 cm over stocking st.

FIRST - CHECK YOUR TENSION.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

PONCHO BACK

Using 3.25mm Needles and C1, cast on 134 (148-162-178) sts.

NOTE - When changing colours in the middle of a row, twist the colour to be used (on wrong side) underneath and to the right of the colour just used (see opposite). Wind small amounts of colours on to yarn bobs.

Work 74 (80-88-96) rows patt from Graph (see pages 16 and 17).

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark position of cuffs.

Work a further 20 (22-24-26) rows patt.

Shape back neck - Next row - Patt 58 (63-69-76), cast off 18 (22-24-26) sts, patt to end.

Cont on last 58 (63-69-76) sts.

Keeping patt correct, dec at neck edge in every row until 52 (57-63-70) sts rem, then in alt rows until 50 (55-61-68) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off **very** loosely.

Join yarn to rem 58 (63-69-76) sts. Dec at neck edge in every row until 52 (57-63-70) sts rem, then in alt rows until 50 (55-61-68) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off **very** loosely.

FRONT

Using 3.25mm Needles and C1, cast on 134 (148-162-178) sts.

Work 62 (70-80-90) rows patt from Graph.

Divide for front opening - Next row - Patt 64 (71-78-86), cast off 6 sts, patt to end.

Cont on last 64 (71-78-86) sts.

Work a further 11 (9-7-5) rows patt.

Tie a coloured thread at beg of last row.

Work a further 16 (18-20-22) rows patt.

Shape neck - Cast off 8 (9-10-11) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Dec at neck edge in every row until 53 (59-65-72) sts rem, then in alt rows until 50 (55-61-68) sts rem.

Work 5 (3-3-3) rows patt.

Cast off **very** loosely.

Join yarn to rem 64 (71-78-86) sts.

Work a further 11 (9-7-5) rows patt.



Tie a coloured thread at end of last row.

Work a further 17 (19-21-23) rows patt.

Shape neck - Cast off 8 (9-10-11) sts at beg of next row.

Dec at neck edge in every row until 53 (59-65-72) sts rem, then in alt rows until 50 (55-61-68) sts rem.

Work 5 (3-3-3) rows patt.

Cast off **very** loosely.

HOOD

Using 2.75mm Needles and C2, cast on 121 (137-151-159) sts.

1st row (right side of brim) - K2, *P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, *P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 10 times, then 1st row once.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work in patt from graph until work measures 13.5 (14-14.5-14.5) cm from centre row of rib band.

Shape back - Keeping patt correct, cast off 8 sts at beg of next 10 (12-14-16) rows. Cast off rem sts.

LEFT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and C1, knit up 29 sts evenly along left side of front opening.

Using C2, **1st row** - Purl.

Work 2 rows rib as for Hood.

4th row - Rib 2, (cast off 2 sts, rib 8) twice, cast off 2 sts, rib 5.

5th row – Rib 5, turn, cast on 2 sts, turn, (rib 8, turn, cast on 2 sts, turn) twice, rib 2 ... 3 buttonholes.
Work 4 rows rib. Cast off loosely in rib.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

Work as for Left Front Band, omitting buttonholes.

BORDER AND CUFFS

Using back-stitch, join shoulder seams.
** With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and C1, knit up 133 (147–161–177) sts evenly across lower front edge.

(NOTE – If this number of sts will not fit comfortably on needle, we suggest using a circular needle.)

Using C2, **1st row** – Purl.

2nd row – K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Keeping rib correct, as **placed** in last row, inc at each end of next 5 rows ... 143 (157–171–187) sts.

Cast off loosely in rib. **

Rep from ** to ** for lower back edge.

*** With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and C1, knit up 55 (61–67–73) sts evenly along left side edge between lower band and coloured thread, 47 (53–55–57) sts evenly between coloured threads, then 55 (61–67–73) sts evenly to cast-on edge ... 157 (175–189–203) sts.

Using C2, **1st row** – Purl.

2nd row – K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Keeping rib correct, as **placed** in last row, inc at each end of next 5 rows ... 167 (185–199–213) sts.

Divide for cuffs – **Next row** – Cast off 60 (66–72–78) sts loosely in rib, rib 47 (53–55–57), cast off rem 60 (66–72–78) sts loosely in rib.

Rejoin yarn to rem 47 (53–55–57) sts.

Work 26 rows rib.

Cast off loosely in rib. ***

Rep from *** to *** for right side edge.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join back seam of hood. Fold brim in half on to right side and catch in position. Sew hood to neck edge of poncho, beg and ending at front band seams. Sew ends of front bands in position, crossing left over right. Using a flat seam, join edges of cuffs, then fold cuffs in half on to right side. Join corners of border. Sew on buttons.

LEGGINGS

LEFT LEG

Using 2.75mm Needles and C1, cast on 63 (67–73–77) sts.

Work 22 rows rib as for Hood (1st row is right side of cuff).

23rd row – Rib 2 (1–4–4), * inc in next st, rib 2, rep from * to last 1 (0–3–1) st/s, rib 1 (0–3–1) ... 83 (89–95–101) sts.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Using C2 in place of C1 and C1 in place of C2, work in patt from graph until work measures 13 (17–21–25) cm from centre row of rib, ending with a purl row.

Shape crotch – Cast on 2 (3–4–4) sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 87 (95–103–109) sts.

Keeping patt correct, dec at each end of 5th and foll 8th rows until 73 (79–87–91) sts rem. **

Work 13 (9–13–9) rows stocking st.

Shape back (NOTE – When turning, bring yarn to front of work, slip next st on to right-hand needle, y bk, slip st back on to left-hand needle, then turn and proceed as instructed – this avoids holes in work) – Using C2 for rem, **1st row** – K42 (48–54–60), turn.

2nd and alt rows – Purl to end.

3rd row – K35 (40–45–50), turn.

5th row – K28 (32–36–40), turn.

7th row – K21 (24–27–30), turn.

9th row – K14 (16–18–20), turn.

10th row – As 2nd row.

Change to 2.75mm Needles.

Work 14 rows rib as before.

Cast off loosely in rib.

RIGHT LEG

Work as for Left Leg to **.

Work 12 (8–12–8) rows stocking st.

Shape back – Working purl for knit and knit for purl throughout, work rows 1 to 10 incl as for Left Leg.

Work 1 row stocking st.

Change to 2.75mm Needles.

Work 14 rows rib as before.

Cast off loosely in rib.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join front, back and leg seams, reversing seam for 3/4 of rib for cuffs. Thread round elastic through rib at waist and draw up to desired measurement. Turn back cuffs. 

PICTURE KNITTING USING THE WINDING YARN METHOD

This is a simple method of knitting in motifs. It **must not** be interchanged with Fair Isle. When changing colours in the middle of a row, twist the colour to be used (on wrong side) underneath and to the right of the colour just used. As you begin each colour, give a gentle tug to even up loose stitches.

It is necessary to use a separate quantity of yarn for each section of colour. To minimise tangles, wind small amounts of yarn on to Susan Bates Yarn Bobs. Unwind only enough yarn to knit required stitches, keeping bob close to work.

You may find it helpful to colour in each section of your graph before beginning.



8 BABY'S JACKET, PANTS AND HAT ★★ P

As illustrated on Back Cover

MEASUREMENTS

These garments are designed to be a generous fit in keeping with today's fashions.

Size		A	B	C	D
Approx age	months	3	6	12	18
Fits underarm	cm	40	45	50	52.5
	ins	16	18	20	21
Jacket measures	cm	44	49	55	57.5
Length	cm	30	33	37	39.5
Sleeve fits	cm	13	16	19	21
Pants length (excluding frill)	cm	29	34	39	44
HAT fits head	cm	40	45	48	49.5

MATERIALS

PATONS 4 PLY FEATHERSOFT 25g balls

See page 28 for alternative yarns which may be used.

Jacket	4	5	6	6
Pants	5	6	6	7
Hat	2	3	3	3

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters.

IMPORTANT! Use only the yarns specified for these garments.

Other yarns may give unsatisfactory results.

ACCESSORIES - 1 pair each 3.25mm (No 10), 2.75mm (No 12), 3.75mm (No 9) and 4.00mm (No 8) Milward Knitting Needles or sizes needed to give correct tension. 1 Stitch Holder and 5 (6-6-7) Buttons for **Jacket**; Tartan Ribbon if desired; Length of Round Elastic for **Pants**.

ABBREVIATIONS - See page 28.

TENSION - 29 sts to 10 cm in width over stocking st, using 3.25mm Needles; For **Hat** - 22.5 sts and 31 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm Needles and yarn double.

FIRST - CHECK YOUR TENSION. Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

JACKET

BACK

Using 3.25mm Needles, cast on 128 (144-160-168) sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Work 13 rows stocking st.

Change to 2.75mm Needles.

17th row - P1, * P2 tog, rep from * to last st, P1 ... 65 (73-81-85) sts.

Knit 8 rows garter st.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work in stocking st until work measures 19 (21-23.5-25.5) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark beg of armholes as there is no armhole shaping.

Work a further 38 (42-48-50) rows stocking st.

Shape shoulders - Cast off 5 (5-6-7) sts at beg of next 6 rows, then 4 (7-7-6) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Leave rem 27 (29-31-31) sts on stitch-holder.

LEFT FRONT

Using 3.25mm Needles, cast on 62 (70-78-82) sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Work 13 rows stocking st.

Change to 2.75mm Needles.

17th row - P1, * P2 tog, rep from * to last st, P1 ... 32 (36-40-42) sts.

Knit 8 rows garter st.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work in stocking st until work measures same as Back to coloured threads, ending with a purl row. **

Tie a coloured thread at end of last row to mark beg of armhole.

Work a further 23 (27-31-33) rows stocking st.

Shape neck - Cast off 6 (7-7-7) sts at beg of next row.

*** Dec at neck edge in next and alt rows until 19 (22-25-27) sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Shape shoulder - Cast off 5 (5-6-7) sts at beg of next and alt rows 3 times in all.

Work 1 row. Cast off. ***

RIGHT FRONT

Work as for Left Front to **.

Tie a coloured thread at beg of last row to mark beg of armhole.



Work a further 22 (26-30-32) rows stocking st.

Shape neck - Cast off 6 (7-7-7) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Work as from *** to *** for Left Front, working 2 rows instead of 1 before shoulder shaping.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles, cast on 45 (47-49-53) sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - K2, "M1", knit to last 2 sts, "M1", K2.

Cont in stocking st, inc (as before) at each end of foll 4th rows until there are 55 (61-67-65) sts, then in foll 6th row/s until there are 57 (63-71-75) sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures 11.5 (14-17-18.5) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off 8 (8-9-9) sts at beg of next 6 rows. Cast off rem sts.

NECKBAND

Using back-stitch, join shoulder seams. With right side facing and using 2.75mm Needles, knit up 78 (82-88-88) sts evenly around neck, incl sts from stitch-holder.

Knit 10 rows garter st. Cast off loosely.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

With right side facing and using 2.75mm Needles, knit up 15 sts along first 25 rows of right front edge, then 55 (63-73-87) sts evenly along rem,

Incl end of neckband ... 70 (78-88-102) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Next row - K13, y fwd, K2 tog, * K11 (10-12-12), y fwd, K2 tog, rep from * 3 (4-4-5) times, K3 ... 5 (6-6-7) buttonholes.

Knit 4 rows garter st. Cast off loosely.

LEFT FRONT BAND

Work as for Right Front Band, omitting buttonholes.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join sleeve and side seams to coloured threads, leaving an 8 cm opening at bottom. Sew in sleeves. If desired, bind sleeve, front and lower edges with tartan ribbon. Sew on buttons (we covered small Tootal self cover buttons with Tartan ribbon).

PANTS

LEGS (both alike)

Using 3.25mm Needles, cast on 105 (119-133-141) sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Work 8 rows stocking st.

Change to 2.75mm Needles.

12th row - K1, * K2 tog, rep from * to end ... 53 (60-67-71) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Next row - Inc in each st to last st, K1 ... 105 (119-133-141) sts.

Work in stocking st until work measures 11 (15-19-23) cm from beg, working last row on wrong side.

Shape crotch - Cast on 7 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 119 (133-147-155) sts.

Cont in stocking st until work measures 18 (19-20-21) cm from last cast on sts, working last row on right side.

Next row - P8 (6-6-6), * (P2 tog) 3 times, P1, rep from * to last 13 (8-8-9) sts, (P2 tog) 2 (1-1-2) time/s, P9 (6-6-5) ... 75 (81-89-93) sts.

Change to 2.75mm Needles.

1st row - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 3 times.

Cast off loosely in rib.

MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using back-stitch, join front, back and leg seams. Thread round elastic through ankle and around waist. Trim lower edge of legs with tartan ribbon if desired.

HAT

NOTE - Yarn is used double throughout.

CROWN

Using 4.00mm Needles and yarn double, cast on 82 (90-96-100) sts. Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side), inc 8 (8-10-8) sts evenly across last row ... 90 (98-106-108) sts.

Work 16 (18-20-20) rows stocking st, inc 0 (1-2-0) st/s evenly across last row ... 90 (99-108-108) sts.

Shape top - **1st row** - * K8 (9-10-10), K2 tog, rep from * to end.

2nd and 4th rows - Purl.

3rd row - * K7 (8-9-9), K2 tog, rep from * to end.

5th row - * K6 (7-8-8), K2 tog, rep from * to end.

Cont dec in this manner (working one st less between dec each time) in alt rows until 9 sts rem.

Break off yarn, run end through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

BRIM

Using 3.75mm Needles and yarn double, cast on 12 (13-14-15) sts.

NOTE - When turning, bring yarn to front of work, slip next st on to right-hand needle, y bk, slip st back on to left-hand needle, then turn and proceed as instructed - this avoids holes in work.

1st row - Knit to last 4 sts, turn.

2nd row - Knit to end.

3rd and 4th rows - Knit.

Rep rows 1 to 4 incl 63 (69-75-78) times, then rows 1 to 3 incl once.

Cast off.

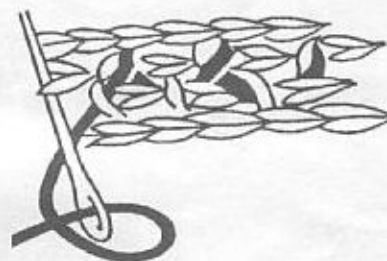
MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Using a flat seam, sew brim to crown, then join crown and brim seams. Sew ribbon binding around outside edge of brim as illustrated. Fold brim up at front and catch in position with ribbon bow if desired. 

FLAT SEAM

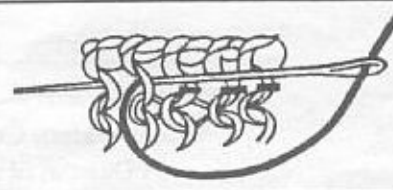
This method is sometimes used for knitted garments but more often for crochet garments. A flat seam may be worked from either the right or the wrong side of the work. Place the 2 pieces of fabric evenly together and sew stitch by stitch, always bringing the needle up from underneath to top through the centre of the stitch, then in same manner through corresponding stitch on second piece.

Note - Diagram shows knitted fabric, but method is the same for knitting or crochet. Always keep work elastic - there should be as much stretch in your seam as there is in the rest of your garment.



BACK-STITCH SEAM

This is the method most commonly used for joining knitted garments. Hold the pieces together with right sides inside. The seam should be sewn one full stitch in from the end of each row so that all seams will be even. One stitch should be worked over every row. Darn in all ends of yarn after sewing seams.



KNITTING ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit; **P** = purl; **sl** = slip; **psso** = pass slipped stitch(es) over; **tbl** = through back of loop(s); **y bk** = yarn back – take yarn under needle from purling position into knitting position; **y ft** = yarn front – bring yarn under needle from knitting position into purling position; **y fwd** = yarn forward – bring yarn under needle, then over into knitting position again, thus making a stitch; **yon** = yarn over needle – take yarn over top of needle into knitting position, thus making a stitch; **yrn** = yarn round needle – take yarn right round needle into purling position, thus making a stitch; **"M1"** = Make 1 – pick up loop which lies before next stitch, place on left-hand needle and knit (or purl) into back of loop; **garter st** = every row knit; **stocking st** = 1 row knit, 1 row purl; **reverse stocking st** = 1 row purl, 1 row knit (purl side is right side). When instructions read – "Cast off 2 sts, K2" (or similar stitches), the stitch left on the right-hand needle, after casting off, is counted as one stitch.

alt = alternate; **beg** = begin or beginning; **cont** = continue; **dec** = decrease, decreased, decreases or decreasing; **fol** = following or follows; **inc** = increase, increased, increases or increasing; **incl** = including or inclusive; **0** = no rows, stitches or times; **patt** = pattern; **rem** = remain, remains, remainder or remaining; **rep** = repeat; **st, sts** = stitch, stitches; **tog** = together; **cm** = centimetre(s); **mm** = millimetre(s); **ins** = inches.

The first row is always the right side of the work unless otherwise stated.

PATONS BABY YARNS

The garments in our photos were all made using PATONS FEATHERSOFT.

For 3 PLY FEATHERSOFT – If you wish to substitute PATONS 3 PLY BABY WOOL, the quantities of yarn required should be the same.

If you wish to substitute PATONS NEW 3 PLY FAIRYTALE, you will probably need to use needles 1 size smaller, and you may require 1 extra ball if using Pearl colours.

For 4 PLY FEATHERSOFT – If you wish to substitute PATONS 4 PLY BABY NYLON, the quantities of yarn required should be the same.

If you wish to substitute PATONS NEW 4 PLY FAIRYTALE you may require 1 extra ball if using Pearl colours.

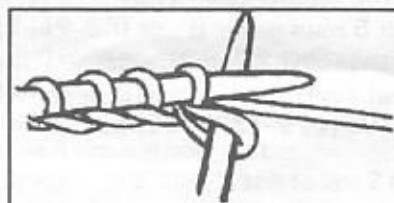
If you wish to substitute PATONS PATONYLE 4 PLY, use the following table as a guide to quantities:

4 PLY FEATHERSOFT (25g balls)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PATONYLE 4 PLY (50g balls)	1	1	2	2	3	4	4

Always check your tension carefully before beginning.

HELPFUL HINTS

Neatening the side edge of your cast-on. Before slipping the last cast-on stitch on to the left-hand needle, pass the yarn from back to front between the points of the two needles, then slip the stitch on to the left-hand needle. This prevents a curved edge on the last stitch.



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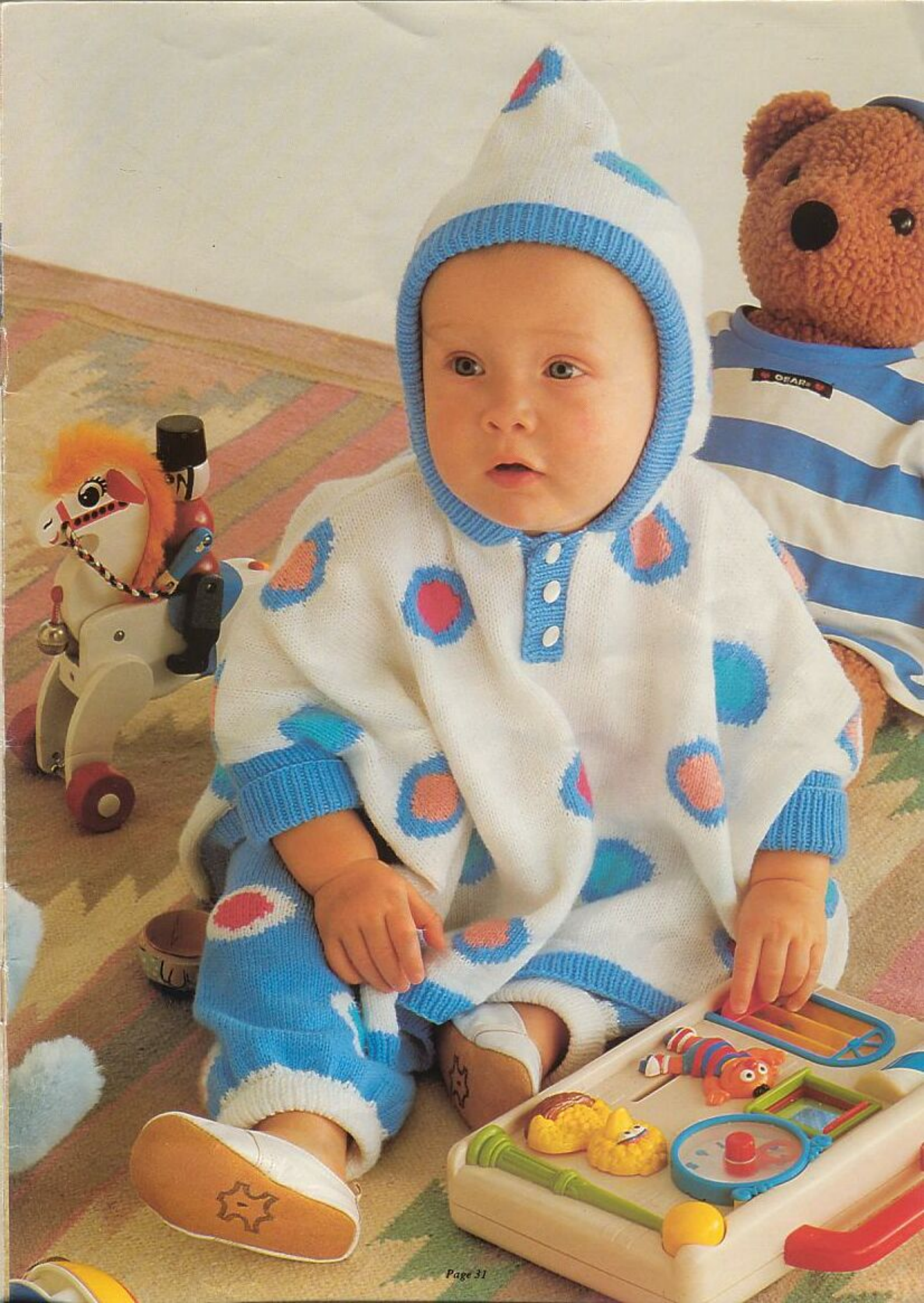
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